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# Crooks steal pensioner's cash and garage door

by David Dawson

AN 84-year-old pensioner has been robbed of hundreds of pounds by cruel crooks who promised to replace her broken garage door – then drove off with her money.

Not only did they not replace her door with a new one as promised – they even stole the old one.

Detectives are appealing for witnesses and anyone with information to come forward in confidence.

The fraudsters struck about 11.30am on Tuesday (November 24th).

Two men went to a house off Roman Road on the Maiden Castle estate in Dorchester and asked the elderly lady resident if she wanted her damaged garage door replaced by a new one.

Detective Constable Simon Austin, of Weymouth CID, said: "They told the unsuspecting 84-year-old vulnerable victim that they had a new garage door with them and they would fit it straight away if she was prepared to pay cash."

"After the two men drove off the victim then went outside to inspect the new door, only to discover that there

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**LINDY Carr** is the principal of Stagecoach Weymouth.

She is the daughter of Bill Sellars, producer of 'All Creatures Great and Small', and actress June Bland.

Lindy spent her early years in Surrey and went to the Barbara Speake Stage School in London, during which time she appeared in films such as "Chitty Chitty Bang Bang", "Oliver!" and "Scrooge".

She continued her career as an actress and dancer for many years in television and theatre and is still actively and enthusiastically involved in directing and choreographing.

She pioneered Stagecoach in Chester and Wilmslow where she was principal for three years and was principal of the very successful Stagecoach in Camberley for nine years.

Lindy moved to Dorset with her husband Nick three years ago for a quieter life but it hasn't quite worked out like that. She runs Weymouth Stagecoach school, which will see its pupils perform in this year's Pavilion Pantomime the Wizard of Oz.

**■ YOU work at Shaftesbury School, what is the best part of your job.**

I am a teaching assistant and the best part of my job is seeing the students I mentor achieve something they have been struggling to do – however small, it's progress.

**■ YOU also run the Stagecoach school in Weymouth, how are the rehearsals for this year's pantomime at the Pavilion going?**

Ten of my students are taking part in this year's pantomime, The Wizard of Oz. The rehearsals are going well and all the 'Munchkins' are getting very excited at the prospect of performing on stage.

**■ WHAT is your favourite pantomime?**

It has to be 'Cinderella', which was the first one I appeared in at the New End Theatre, Hampstead.

**■ WHO is your favourite character from the many television dramas?**

There are so many to choose from. But I do admire Helen Mirren and loved watching her play Jane Tennison in 'Prime Suspect'. I also love the Sunday evening costume dramas like 'Lark Rise to Candleford'.

**■ YOU'RE also a great fan of comedies. When was the last time you laughed and what made you chuckle?**

I'm currently enjoying the new sitcom on BBC 2 'Miranda' but I loved 'Outnumbered' and do like a good stand-up comedian: Billy Connolly, Lee Mack and Michael McIntyre.



**■ DESPITE reality television shows filling a huge percentage of air-time, you don't watch them. What is it about them that you dislike?**

There is so much prime time television given to reality programmes, I feel they deprive many trained actors of the opportunity of professional television work.

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**■ HAVE you ever trodden the boards yourself? If so, how old were you when you started and what was your most memorable role?**

Yes. I was five when I appeared in an episode of Z Cars. Does that date me? My most recent memorable film role was playing opposite Ray Winstone as his wife.

**■ WHAT is it you like about the Weymouth area?**

I live in Sherborne but I love the view of Weymouth and Portland as I drive to Stagecoach on a Friday afternoon.

**■ IS there anything you would like to see changed?**

Not really. It will be very interesting to see the changes developing in readiness for the 2012 Olympics.

**■ WHICH three people from throughout history would you invite around for dinner?**

William Shakespeare, Bob Fosse and Anne Frank.

**■ WHAT three things would you take with you onto a desert island and why?**

A piano – I used to play and would love to have the time to practice. A drawing pad, pencil and a rubber, which is another hobby I haven't fully taken up. My tap shoes to keep me dancing.

**■ If you won the lottery, what would be the first three things you bought and why?**

A round the world ticket to see all those places that I haven't yet had time to see. A large rambling farmhouse – as long as I didn't have to decorate it myself. And shoes. A girl can never have enough shoes.

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## Stark warning for drink drivers Pensioner's cash and door stolen

A DORCHESTER woman has spoken of the "devastating impact" drink driving can have on a family.

Joan Dickinson, whose tractor driver brother Dennis Watts was killed by a drunk lorry driver on the A35 east of the town in April, spoke out as Dorset Police launched its Christmas campaign against drink and drug driving this week.

The campaign began yesterday and will run until New Year's Day.

Joan, who lives near Dorchester, said: "Drink driving ruins lives. I know because it's happened to me and my family.

"I don't want anyone else to go through what we have suffered just for the sake of a drink.

"I would say to anyone who thinks it's okay to have a drink and then drive – is it really worth killing someone over alcohol?

"And how would you feel if it was a member of your family who was killed by someone who'd had too much to drink?

"Our lives will never be the same again and all because that man got behind the wheel when he'd been drinking."

Joan's 56-year-old brother Dennis from Bere Regis was killed when Belgian lorry driver Didier Gillis – who was more than three times the drink drive limit – ploughed into the back of the tractor Dennis was driving. He ran from the scene but was later caught by police and jailed for six years for causing death by dangerous driving.

Police warned that during their Christmas campaign there would be increased traffic patrols as well as road-side checks and every driver who was involved

by David Dawson

in a collision during December would be breath tested.

Chief Inspector Bob Nichols, from Specialist Operations, said: "The tragic death of Dennis Watts and the enormous sense of loss that his family is feeling goes to show just how devastating drink driving can be.

"Our advice to drivers is not to get behind the wheel after drinking any alcohol at all, because even one drink can impair your driving.

"As well as the very real risk of causing serious injury or even death, the consequences of being caught drink driving are extensive – including a minimum 12-month driving ban, a criminal record, up to six months in prison and a fine of up to £5,000.

"There may also be further financial or social consequences such as losing your job or relationship – I'd urge motorists to ask themselves whether it's really worth it.

"The man responsible for Denis Watts' death is serving six years in prison and will live with the consequences of his action for the rest of his life.

"If you are going out for a social drink over the festive period, then plan ahead to make sure you can get home safely and without having to drive yourself. Take simple steps such as booking a taxi, having a designated driver in your group of friends or arranging overnight accommodation.

"I would also urge the public not to get into a vehicle if you think the driver has been drinking and report this driver to Dorset Police."

Chief Inspector Nichols added: "We have had excel-



■ JOAN Dickinson

lent support from the public during previous campaigns and once again we want anyone who suspects that a vehicle is being driven by someone under the influence of alcohol or drugs to contact Dorset Police immediately by dialling 999 – so that officers can intercept the vehicle." Members of the public can also call the free and anonymous Crimestoppers line on 0800 555 111 or the Dorset Police non-emergency number on 01202 or 01305 22 22 22.

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was no new door in place and – adding insult to injury – they had even taken away her damaged door as well."

Police said the fraudsters were using a large white transit style vehicle with "Weatherbury Roofing" and a non-local telephone number written on the side.

The sign writing was on both sides of the van and it is described as decorative style writing.

Detective Constable Austin added: "Our enquiries have revealed that this vehicle is not believed to be connected with a local company of that name and it's almost certain that the thieves don't work for any reputable company.

"I would urge anybody with information about

this incident or about the identity of the two despicable thieves or their vehicle to come forward and contact me in confidence.

"I would like to hear from anyone who has seen the vehicle or who has been approached themselves by these men in similar circumstances – it may be that someone has seen the old discarded damaged garage door – if you can help, please call."

Witnesses and anyone with information should call Dorset Police in confidence on 01202 or 01305 22 22 22 or the free and anonymous Crimestoppers line on 0800 555 111 where mobile phone tariffs may apply.

## Set to be a cracking event

DORCHESTER'S Christmas Cracker is to kick off tonight (Wednesday, December 2nd) from 5pm.

The festive fun will include late night shopping, Christmas market stalls and music and entertainment from The Dinner Ladies, Quangle Wangle Choir, Wessex Accordion group, and the Durnovaria Silver Band among others.

The grand switching on of the Christmas lights will take place at 6.30pm with former Eastenders actor Joel Beckett doing the honours, accompanied by Dorchester Carnival Quenn Leoni Ling

on Peter's Church stage. Father Christmas will also be there, leading the lantern parade from High West Street at 7pm.

There will be a competition for shops to participate in this evening. Prizes will be awarded to the best dressed shop window and best individual character costume for staff.

The competition will be judged by Dorchester Town Mayor, Councillor Susie Hosford.

■ ROADS in Dorchester will be closed tonight for this year's Casterbridge Christmas Cracker festival.

Between 5pm and

10pm Dorset County Council will close the following roads:

● Cornhill and South Street for their entire lengths;

● Trinity Street, from its junction with Princes Street northward to its junction with High East Street\*;

● High West Street, from Top O' Town Roundabout to The Bow;

● High East Street, from The Bow to its junction with Church Street and Friary Lane;

● New Street for its entire length;

● Dumgate Street, from its junction with Cornhill/South Street to its junction with Church Street/Ackland Road.

\*This year access to Trinity Street will be maintained at all times. However, traffic will be diverted west at its junction with Princes Street onto Albert Road and can disperse from there.

Access to North Square and beyond will be available via High East Street

only and vehicles will be escorted through the street at walking pace. Traffic wishing to exit from North Square will do so via Friary Lane.

For the duration of the closures, a diversion route will be signed as follows:

● from Top O' Town Roundabout, proceed southward along Albert Road and Cornwall Road to the traffic signals;

● turn left into Great Western Road and continue eastward to the

junction with Weymouth Avenue;

● turn left and continue eastward along South Walks Road to the traffic signals at the junction with Acland Road;

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# Hospital's low rating in a safety survey

by David Dawson

A NATIONAL independent survey has given Dorset County Hospital its second-to-bottom rating for safety.

The Dr Foster Hospital Guide gave the Dorchester hospital a rating of two out of a possible top figure of five.

It also said the hospital, which expects to be more than £7million over its budget next year, had a patient death rate that was above the national average.

But the hospital hit back, saying the survey was "misleading".

Medical Director for Quality Dr Mark Hitchcock said: "Dr Foster's scoring system is complex and based upon a mixture of 13 indicators relating to different aspects of patient safety."

"It is very difficult to see how they have been calculated and the score attributed to Dorset County Hospital does not relate to all the other indicators of quality which we and independent regulators, such as the Care Quality Commission, use to assess patient care."

"Dorset County Hospital's overall standardised mortality ratio (ie. how many patients die in hospital set against how many would be expected to die) is lower than the national average and is continuing to fall, despite misleading reports to the contrary."

The hospital also issued a statement denying that some of its cancer facilities including its breast cancer service were being

moved to Poole hospital.

Medical Director for Performance Dr Nick Hateboer said: "The breast cancer service is highly regarded and we want it to remain at Dorset County Hospital."

"We have recently taken short-term steps to ensure the service continues, and are looking at how we can best secure the long-term future of this very important service."

Dr Hateboer added that the chemotherapy unit was not under review and would remain at DCH.

# Battle over payphones

PARISH councils across West Dorset are being asked for their views on BT's plans to remove phones from 72 red boxes in the district - and let the council's 'adopt' them for £1.

West Dorset District Council has opposed the original plans to remove the payphones in areas with poor mobile phone coverage as this could put lives at risk in an emergency. Most parish councils that responded

said that they wanted the payphones kept.

The district council has now lodged its initial draft decision which retains its objection to the payphones being removed. A final round of consultation has been launched which will contribute to the district council's final decision.

West Dorset District Council Leader Robert Gould said: "The district council is once again asking

parish and town council's affected by BT's proposal's to make sure they give their views."

"If a parish and town council affected by the plans does not respond, then the district council will keep its objection to the removal of the phone equipment from the local phone box in that area."

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# Sing when your binning



■ **TOWN Crier Alistair Chisholm with Ian Doyle, waste recycling officer Dave Levi, Phil Gordon, and the new bins**

DORCHESTER town crier, Alistair Chisholm, has penned a special cry to celebrate the launch of a new on-street recycling scheme in the county town.

The first bins were installed in South Street following a combined effort by West Dorset District Council and the Dorchester Business Improvement District.

Fifteen bins now stand in the main shopping thoroughfare, allowing both the people of Dorchester and visitors to the town to recycle paper, plastic bottles and cans, as well as their usual litter.

Dorchester BID put £1,000 into this scheme with the District Council funding the remaining £6,500.

For health and safety reasons, glass is not able to be recycled in street bins, although all West Dorset residents are provided with kerbside collections for recycling glass.

Ian Doyle, West Dorset Services manager, said: "These bins will divert 50 tonnes of waste a year from landfill, reducing costs to the taxpayer by at least £15,000 over the next five years.

"On-street recycling already takes place in West Bay.

by Anita Harries

If the Dorchester scheme is a success, officers will look at rolling it out to other large towns in West Dorset.

"I approached Dorchester BID because I thought the litter bin stock we had was out of date and run down. Their appearance was not in keeping with the county town and I wanted us to have something fit for the 21st century that improved the look and feel of the street scene, as well as having a positive environmental benefit."

Phil Gordon, project manager with Dorchester BID, also welcomed the arrival of the bins, and was delighted to work in partnership with West Dorset District Council to bring this about.

He is very much looking forward to working on more initiatives with them for the benefit of local businesses and residents alike.

The final word went to Alistair, who belted out an ode to the recycling bins.

## Chelsie casts a spell over Christmas cracker

CHELSEIE Padley, one of the stars from this year's pantomime at Weymouth Pavilion, took time out from rehearsals to pay a visit to Dorchester.

Treading the Yellow Brick Road outside the county town's tourist information centre, Chelsie braved the cold wind to don her Good Witch costume and cast a spell to bring good fortune to Christmas Cracker event tonight (Wednesday, December 2nd) in Dorchester and the pantomime season in Weymouth.

Well known for her role as Louise in The Story of Tracy Beaker, one of the BBC's top children's programmes, Chelsie has performed on both stage and screen from a very young age.

She even made an appearance in another hot favourite, Harry Potter and the Half Blood Prince.

The Wizard of Oz runs from December



■ **CHELSEIE Padley casts a good luck spell over Charlie Mullett from Dorchester Tourist Information Centre and Sue Cull from the Cracker Night committee**

19th December until January 3rd 2010. Chelsie will be performing alongside Joel Beckett, best known for his role as Jake Moon in Eastenders, who takes

the part of the wizard. Joel will have the honour of turning on the Christmas lights at tonight's cracker evening.

Tickets for Weymouth pantomime can be ob-

tained from the tourist information centre in Dorchester, as well as from the box office on (01305) 783225.

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■ **HAPPY RETIREMENT:** Ray Bugler, front row with walking stick, at his leaving lunch with tenants and staff from MHA

# Fond farewell for Ray

RAY Bugler is closing the door on his West Country housing career.

The Magna Housing Association (MHA) chairman is standing down after serving the Dorchester-based organisation for more than 13-years.

Mr Bugler, 62, is a former builder and first joined MHA as a tenants' representative in 1996.

After joining the organisation's board, he then became chairman in 2005.

He said: "I have thoroughly enjoyed my time with MHA and it's been a real pleasure to serve the organisation. I guess I have

by Stuart Broom

come a long way, starting as a tenants' representative to ending up as chairman.

"Magna is very much a better organisation now to the one I joined more than 13-years-ago and I'm proud of its achievements. A lot of people have put in a lot of hard work over the years, from management and staff, through to the board members and tenants. I thank them all for their efforts.

"I have met some really nice people and made some good

friends over the years and I am sure they will all continue to improve the service offered to residents long into the future."

To mark Mr Bugler's retirement, Magna held a special farewell lunch at Athelhampton House, where presentations were made by group directors.

"It was a lovely send off," he added, "and I thank everyone for their kindness.

"I would also like to urge more tenants to step forward and get involved with MHA, either as

tenant representatives or as board members.

"What residents feel and think is important and there is no better way of getting that message over than by being part of the decision-making process."

Magna chief executive Graham Colls today paid tribute to Mr Bugler, describing him as a "dedicated" chairman.

He said: "Ray has done a fantastic job for Magna and its customers over the years.

"Through all that time, as an unpaid volunteer, he has put in many hours to improve our services to residents and to improve

Magna generally.

"His impact, ability and dedication have been shown by how he has progressed through the various levels at Magna, ending up as the tenant chair of MHA."

He added: "Ray leaves with our grateful thanks for all the good work he has done for us, and our very best wishes for the future."

Meanwhile Mr Bugler will be enjoying life at a more leisurely pace having moved to New Milton in Hampshire, where he intends to spend time pursuing his hobby of beach fishing.

## Dorchester Rotary help Cumbrian flood relief fund

ALTHOUGH rainfall is not uncommon in the Lake District, what is unusual is the amount that fell on Cumbria on and around November 18th.

Some areas had over 12 inches of rain over a 24-hour period.

Combined with gale force winds and high tides, the result was widespread and catastrophic flooding, particularly severe in the north-west coastal region of Cumbria.

Many people lost their homes and their businesses as devastation spread across the area with remarkable speed.

The Rotary Club of Dorchester is always keen to support community projects, both local, national and international.

They have already donated the sum of £250 to the affected area, but much more needs to be done.

The people of Cumbria are facing a terrible situation with only a few weeks to go until Christmas.

Anyone wishing to offer items to help replace belongings lost in the floods should contact John Head, President of Workington Rotary Club on (01900) 604890 or John Taylor, secretary of Cockermouth Rotary Club on (01900) 827570. Anyone able to donate money should go to [www.keswickrotary.org.uk](http://www.keswickrotary.org.uk) or contact Rotarian Graham Simons on (01768) 780915.

Donations will be used specifically to offer short term help to the local communities of Keswick and Cockermouth, in particular those unable to get flood insurance cover due to previous problems.

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# Hardy Players toasts launch of Dorchester's own tea blend

A BRAND new tea has been launched in Dorchester by Sonja and Phil McNamara, proprietors of the county town's very own specialist tea shop.

This exclusive tea blend, Hardy's Tea, was created by Sonja herself, and is a good breakfast tea, which characterises local poet and author Thomas Hardy to perfection.

Despite the inclement weather, Char-Chars was packed for the launch. And those who had braved the elements were treated to a performance by the New Hardy Players.

Included in their number was Norrie Woodhall, who founded the New Hardy Players when she was 100-years-old, and now at 104, is still

by Anita Harries

performing.

She has many personal connections with South Street, with her family once owning the Central Hotel, where New Look stands today.

This is where Norrie was born and grew up.

They also owned Strouds Tea Rooms, which originally stood next to where Char-Chars is today.

The New Hardy Players recited several of Hardy's poems, including "At Tea" with the delectable Diane Stonham, and "The Oxen" read by Sue Worth, a versatile character full of humour and mischief.

Devina Symes joined with Diane for a beautiful

rendition of "One Morning in May", while Dave Burbidge chose William Barnes for his performance.

Brian Caddy read one of his own compositions, complete with a refer-

ence to Char-Chars.

"The Curate's Kindness" was played out by Brian, Sue and Dave, demonstrating that there is humour in Hardy.

The star of the afternoon, however, was undoubtedly Norrie, who stood and recited "The

Owl", a rhyme she has known since childhood, and Hardy's "The Ruined Maid."

She may be well over a 100-years-old, but she still commands the stage.

It was unanimous that Hardy's tea was a tasty blend, with the New

Hardy Players all toasting the success of this unique, Dorchester blend.

You can also buy a Hardy mug to go with the wonderful tin in which the tea is sold, which would be a great idea for a Christmas present.



■ PHIL and Sonja from Char-Chars launch their Hardy tea, watched by Norrie Woodhall, the New Hardy Players and Mike Nixon from the Thomas Hardy Society

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The walk will be started by Councillor Anne Kenwood, Mayor of Weymouth and Portland, at 10am from Weymouth Pavilion.

Walkers will be led by Paul Moxham who was part of the winning British team that undertook the "Race to the North Pole" challenge in 2008.

The route will proceed along the seafront to Oasis Café at Over-

combe corner. For those who like more of a challenge, to the Riviera Hotel, Bowleaze Cove and return to the Pavilion.

After the Christmas and New Year festivities a brisk walk along Weymouth seafront will help to work off the calories and provide an ideal excuse to get out into the fresh air.

To register please contact the fundraising office (01305 215315).

To download a registration form, visit [www.weld-hospice.org.uk/seasonalcircuit](http://www.weld-hospice.org.uk/seasonalcircuit).

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# Cracker capers at Café Jagos

CAFÉ Jagos became the first local business to hold a Variety Evening to raise money for Dorchester's Christmas Cracker.

Chris Kendrick, proprietor of Café Jagos, said: "I wanted to do my bit to help raise funds for Christmas Cracker."

"This is a wonderful family evening, but needs money to put on."

"If I can add to this by holding an event that is purely to put some money in the kitty and help to make the event more successful than it already is, I shall be more than happy."

"The Variety Evening is a bit of fun, to bring people together, especially those who have worked so

hard in the weeks leading up to the cracker."

Local businesses donated prizes to the evening.

Gerald Duke kindly gave £50 as first prize for the bingo, which was eagerly snatched up by Kim Membury.

Multivolt gave a free computer health check, Chris put on a three course meal for those who felt like indulging, and popular local group The Dinner Ladies provided the entertainment.

Chelsie Padley, star of this year's pantomime at Weymouth Pavilion, also turned up to lend her support to the event.

With entry by donation, it was hoped the idea would be continued in future years as one way to keep the Cracker rolling on, bigger, better and brighter.



■ HIGH jinks at Café Jangos



■ SOME of the talented lady quilters in front of the wonderful exhibition

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## Quilting for cash

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A WONDERFUL exhibition and sale of mini quilts was held in the United Church, Dorchester, in aid of the Alzheimers Society.

Organised by the Hardy Quilters, more than 260 mini quilts were donated to help benefit such a worthy cause.

Coming from as far afield as Ascot and Plymouth, the quilts were all beautifully designed and sold well. Each quilt cost £10 to buy. From Christmas scenes to animals,

flowers and intricate patterns, each was an individual masterpiece.

African landscapes, seascapes, and local landmarks hung alongside Winnie the Pooh, little elephants and teddy bears.

One extremely industrious lady, Pat Felton, had made and donated 24 quilts to help raise money for Alzheimers.

And not only are they

talented quilters, they are exceptional cooks. The homemade cakes that accompanied the teas and coffees added the perfect finishing touch to all their hard work.

Any quilts that remain unsold at the end of the exhibition will be passed on to another group to help with their fundraising efforts.

The Hardy Quilters are a

patchwork and quilting group based in Weymouth.

They hold their meetings on every third Monday of the month in Osmington Village Hall, from 10am until 12 noon.

As well as workshops, they have visits from guest speakers and take part in various exhibitions.

Beginners are more than welcome and will benefit greatly from the wealth of knowledge and expertise contained within this friendly group.

## A night in with Nicky and Vicky

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■ VICKY and Nicky prepare for festive fun

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# Christmas treats and more at craft fair



■ **ORGANISER** Becky Dovey and Santa give a hand on the raffle

THE annual Martinstown Craft and Gift Fair opened its doors on a fantastic array of talented local exhibitors and artists.

The stalls were beautifully laid out with Christmas gifts for everyone.

Villagers packed the hall to take full advantage of this wonderful opportunity to pick up some unusual and unique gifts.

The grand raffle was well supported, by both exhibitors and visitors alike, with all the proceeds going to Marie Curie Cancer Care.

Sue Coleman, the local organiser for the charity, was present, selling a variety of Christmas cards and gifts to benefit such a worthwhile cause.

Several party plan organisations gave of their time to demonstrate their wares, including Pampered Chef, Phoenix Cards and Usborne Books.

Santa had made an early call to the village to drop in a sackful of gifts for his

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very own tombola, to keep the children occupied.

Refreshments were available all day including tea and coffee and delicious homemade cakes, soup and sandwiches.

Shoppers were spoilt for choice with the range of handmade festive goods on sale which included memory boxes, beaded jewellery, painted glass, unusual paper crafts, wooden plaques and angels, Christmas decorations and stoneware ceramics.

No craft fair would be complete without food and an abundance of preserves, including marmalade with calvados and chilli jam, competed with mouth watering chutneys and tasty dips.

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# Rotary honour young musicians

**T**HE Dorchester Young Musicians Festival Concert was held in the United Church, Dorchester.

Promoting the enjoyment and development of music amongst young people, this was the 16th such festival organised by the Casterbridge Rotary Club.

Young musicians between the ages of six and 18-years-old, selected by adjudicators from the previous week's performances, provided a superb evening's entertainment. The wealth of local talent on display was quite staggering, as was the range and variety of music.

Introduced by John Smith, the President of Casterbridge Rotary Club, the best of the original 38 entries took to the stage in front of family and friends. The Mayor of Dorchester, Councillor Susie Hosford, and her Escort, Toni Biondic, were also present to enjoy this musical extravaganza.

From seven-year-old Hannah McFarlane who played the cello quite brilliantly, both as a soloist and in a duet with sister Emily, to the versatile Alastair Simpson who not only played three instruments – the piano, the

**By Anita Harries**

organ and the trombone, all extremely well – but gave a wonderful vocal solo performance of John Barleycorn, all these young people have a real future in the world of music.

The violin, the clarinet, the trumpet, the tuba, all were mastered by their young players with complete confidence.

Pop group Ballistic, who are making quite a name for themselves locally, played one of their own compositions.

The evening's performances were rounded off by special guest Lorna Moss, last year's Casterbridge Young Musician of the Year, who played two pieces on the violin.

The Festival Awards took place following the music, with the mayor doing the honours.

These were given to the best performances in each of the four age groups. Hannah McFarlane won the First School Age Group, while the Middle School age group was taken by tuba player Jamie Riddoch and vocalist Mollie Horne.

The first of the Upper

School Age groups was won by pianist Sophie Fallon, the second by multi talented Alastair Simpson. He was also awarded the Festival Trophy for Casterbridge Young Musician 2009.



■ JAMIE Riddoch plays the tuba

The Dorset Area Schools' Partnership Music Service assists Casterbridge Rotary in the running of the music festival.

All the proceeds from the festival go towards purchasing specialist musical instruments for the use of local schoolchildren, made

available through the Partnership.

Many people give freely of their time to make this event a success, and it is so good to see so many children enjoying their music and producing such a high standard.



■ YOUNGEST performer, seven-year-old Hannah McFarlane, with Mayor Susie Hosford

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It unravelled the story of undoubtedly the greatest English dialect poet, weaving his poems into a narrative of his life.

This was one of the most animated and energetic performances ever witnessed within the walls of the United Church, Dorchester.

Tim cleverly moved through the various ages of William Barnes, from child to innovative schoolmaster, husband, father, writer, musician and parish priest. He was never still on stage, swiftly moving from one character to another, narrating, reciting poems, singing and even finding the energy to play the flute. Creative in the way he heralded the changes in William's life, he introduced such inspirational ideas as the ticking clock, the writing and receiving of letters, and the changing of the seasons with their influences on the poetry of Barnes.

More than ably supported by musician and support actor Colin Thompson, who also provided some memorable sound effects, *The Year Clock* was superb in every way.

Vivid portrayals of Barnes love of his rural roots and his beloved wife Julia, his academic skills



■ AN ageing William Barnes

by Anita Harries

and mastery of countless languages, his success as a schoolmaster and cleric, all brought to life the world of the Victorians and all that came with it.

The humour, too, was admirably depicted, with a wonderful rendition of "John Bloom in Lon'on", Barnes at his light-hearted best.

This was entertainment of the highest order.

Tim transported the audience through the life of William Barnes, entering as a bearded, frail gentleman, turning the clock back to childhood, spritely

young man, and finally returning to the bearded cleric at the end of his life. Compelling, inspirational, emotive, the audience were spellbound by this amazing feat.

Tim's mastering of such a huge solo performance and his unbridled enthusiasm for the part.

It is difficult to believe that such an exhausting role was undertaken by someone whose life was severely threatened by a heart attack only a year ago.

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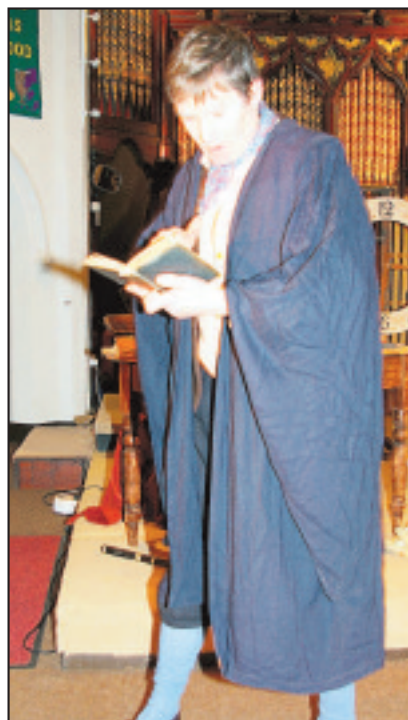
staff who saved his life, half of the proceeds from *The Year Clock* are to go to the Dorset County Hospital Charitable Fund.

The remainder will go to the Eve Brook Scholarship Fund, an educational charity that exists to help students who have been in the care of Birmingham City Council go on to college or university.

Eve Brook's husband, David Edgar, is well known locally, having written the very first Dorchester Community Play, *Entertaining Strangers*, and the last one with Stephanie Dale entitled *A Time to Keep*.



■ AN energetic Tim Laycock takes to the floor



■ WILLIAM Barnes the school teacher

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# Home secretary praises Dorset police 'Behind Bars' campaign

## Behind Bars

Bringing offenders to justice in Dorset

by David Dawson

DORSET Police has been praised by the Home Secretary for its 'Behind Bars' campaign which puts details of jailed local criminals on a website.

It is designed to increase and improve information to the public as well as trust and confidence in the criminal justice system.

The accolade from Alan Johnson comes as the Government's Ministry of Justice prepares to issue new guidance to police forces and local councils to improve the way they use their websites to publicise major criminal convictions.

Started in January 2009, 'Behind Bars - Bringing offenders to justice in Dorset' is a joint initiative between Dorset Police and

the county's Crown Prosecution Service, (CPS) aimed at improving communication with the public.

Criminal custodial sentences of six months or more issued by Crown Courts are featured on a specially branded portion of Dorset Police's website for one month - and include a custody picture of the convicted offender branded with a 'Behind Bars' logo.

Since it started, the 'Behind Bars' section of the Dorset Police website - which only features convicted adults - has received 23,930 unique visitors with that number growing all the time.

The initiative encom-

passes the important issues of public safety and the public interest as we are being told that society wants to hear and see what's happening to individuals passing through the criminal justice system.

The service is also intended to act as a deterrent to would-be offenders and therefore prevent crime.

Dorset Police Deputy Chief Constable, Chris Lee, said: "The 'Behind Bars' campaign is part of our continuing work to improve still further, public confidence in the criminal justice system by increasing the amount of information given to the public.

"Dorset Police continues to be the best performing

force in England and Wales for public confidence and the considerations throughout the creation and development of 'Behind Bars' have been legality, human rights, proportionality, justification and legitimacy.

"The people of Dorset have a right to be informed about custodial sentences issued by the Crown Courts covering the county and see exactly who has been sent behind bars for criminal offences that not only affect individuals but communities as well.

"Behind Bars' has been designed as a piece of citizen-focused communication and fits in with the Government's Policing Pledge which refers to the public being informed about those people brought to justice through the crim-

inal justice process."

Crown Prosecution Service Chief Dorset Prosecutor, Kate Brown, said

"Dorset CPS works hard alongside Dorset Police to ensure that criminals are prosecuted, convicted and

sentenced. The Behind Bars initiative helps us to ensure that the people of Dorset are made aware of

case outcomes, so they can have greater confidence in all the criminal justice agencies in the county".

## Magna backs carbon-free homes in county by 2016

MAGNA is backing plans for all homes in Dorset to be carbon free from 2016.

Housing Minister John Healey has announced that the UK will be the first country in the world to require this as a matter of law.

All new homes will have to have better insulated walls, windows, ceilings and floors to meet proposed new energy efficiency standards. Offices, shops, hotels and warehouses will also need to be built differently.

As a result Mr Healey has launched a consultation to gather evidence on how the zero carbon standards could be applied to non-domestic buildings from 2019.

Magna, which owns and manages more than 9,000 properties across the West Country, builds new homes for rent and shared ownership through its development arm, Charter South West Limited.

Development manager, Nigel Spencer, said: "As an organisation, Magna is very supportive of the Government's target to achieve and supply carbon free homes by 2016.

"Currently, all our new builds across Dorset, Somerset and Devon reach Code for Sustainable Homes Level 3 on and we are now positively striving for Level 4 on all future schemes.

"Zero carbon properties will need to achieve Level 6 and so there is a little way to go to reach the target."

He added: "But once new builds achieve Level 6, the reliance being placed on utilities and their associated costs will be less which will assist our customers because, house prices will be slightly cheaper."

Mr Healey pledged an extra £3.2 million to boost long-term research into how we design and build en-

ergy efficient homes. The research will use new technologies and materials to provide valuable evidence for future standards and how to drive down energy bills.

He also announced that a new government consortium will use their combined green buying power of potentially over £10billion to boost green skills and technology, while also driving down costs.

He added: "The nation must step up the UK drive on climate change and the new standards signal real momentum to change and radically re-think how we design our towns and homes for the future.

"One in three homes in 2050 will be built between now and then, so the new standards are necessary in order for the country to meet low carbon targets."

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## 12th Annual Christmas Tree Festival

The Festival attracts visitors to the town from far and wide. The organisers know of a family from the Western Isle of Scotland who have booked their flights and holiday to visit Bridport during the event.

A new event will take place on Tuesday with Bridport Primary School Choir will sing carols at 1.30pm; this will be followed in the evening by the the Bridport Women's Institute annual carol service.



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# Christmas in Bridport

## Bridport Christmas Festival Wednesday, December 9th

**P**REPARATIONS are going well to make this year's Bridport Christmas Festival the biggest yet. The festival will take place on Wednesday, December 9th starting with live music in Bucky Doo Square at 6pm before the light switch on by Bridport Mayor Martin Ray.

The main events will take place in the centre of town with music in Bucky Doo, a visit from Santa himself and activities in the arts centre, museum and the Electric Palace.

As well as the usual variety of stalls this year there will be the children's grotto, fair ground rides, Punch and Judy and face painting & card making will be run by the Japanese Exchange Group. There will also be live performances on the night from the St Swithun's Band, Bridport Schools Choir, St Mary's Singing Group and many more, all expertly compered by this year's host Grayham Rosamond.

The Bridport Museum will be open all day for children's events as will shops for late night shopping, pubs and restaurants for festive food and drink and the town's annual Christmas Tree Festival, now in its 12th year, is on in the United Church.

Festival organiser Frances Pearsall said: "Hopefully this will be the biggest festival yet. I took over two years ago and we have been building on our success each year. We have over 30 stalls already booked this year and people have had lots of people approaching me to book a space.

"We have a really good line up in the square this year, and we have a very varied line up of stalls this year with lots of craft stalls as well as charities.

"We have asked shops not taking part to leave their lights on again to keep the town lit up and we will be using the Amsafe car park for fairground rides for the first time."

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## Schedule for Bridport Christmas Festival, Buckydoo Square:

**5.45pm - St Mary's Singing Group**

**6pm - Mayor switches on lights and St. Swithun's Band plays until 6.30pm**

**6.05pm - Sleigh with Santa arrives and is greeted by the Mayor**

**6.30 - 6.50pm - Bridport Schools Choir**

**6.50pm - 7.30pm - Symondsburys Mummers  
7.30pm - Sing Acappella**

**7.45pm - 8.30pm - St. Swithun's Band with Elizabethan Singers and sing-a-long for everyone**



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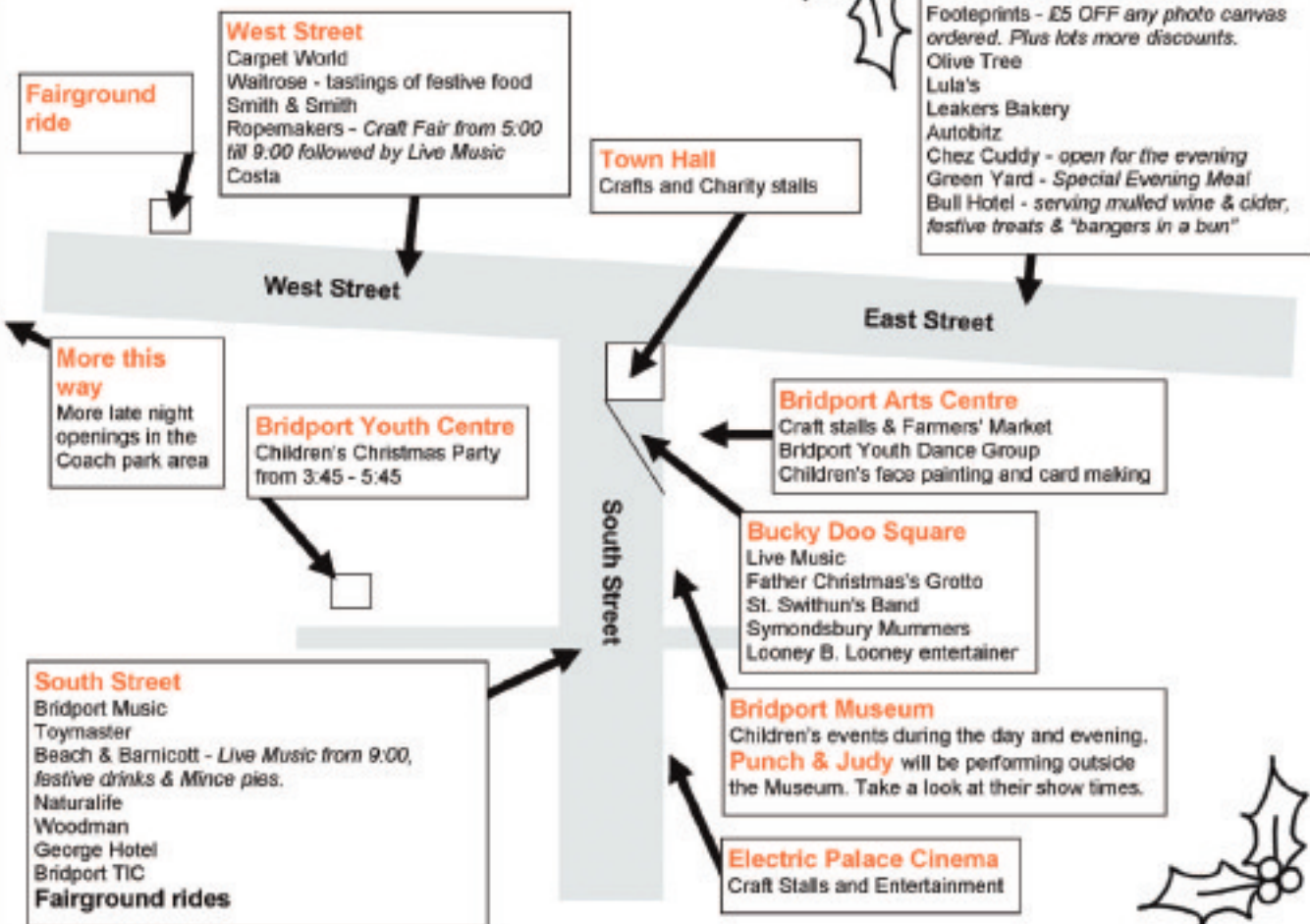
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## Festival Schedule

3:45 till 5:45pm	Children's Christmas Party in Bridport Youth Centre
5:45pm	St Mary's Singing Group in Bucky Doo Square
6:00pm	Mayor switches on lights accompanied by St Swithun's Band in Bucky Doo Square
6:05pm	Father Christmas arrives on his sleigh and is greeted by the Mayor in Bucky Doo Square
6:30pm	Bridport Schools' Choir in Bucky Doo Square
6:50pm	Symondsbury Mummers Perform in Bucky Doo Square
7:30pm	Sing/Acappella. Live Music in Buckydoo Square
7:45pm	St Swithun's Band with the New Elizabethan Singers
8:15pm	Sing-along finale. Join the whole town for a sing around the Christmas tree in Bucky Doo square
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*For the braised oxtail*

1kg oxtail, cut into 2-3cm thick pieces and trimmed of any excess fat

1 onion, peeled and finely chopped  
2 garlic cloves, peeled and crushed

1 teaspoon thyme leaves  
60g butter, plus more for the carrots  
50g flour, plus a little extra for dusting  
2 teaspoons tomato purée  
100ml wine  
2 litres beef stock or a couple of good quality stock cubes, dissolved in 2 litres hot water  
salt and freshly ground black pepper

*For the salad*

A handful of small salad and herb leaves  
1 carrot, peeled and finely shredded into matchstick like strips  
1 turnip, finely shredded into matchstick like strips

*For the dressing*

1 tablespoon cider vinegar  
Teaspoon English mustard  
3 tablespoons extra vir-

gin rapeseed oil

First braise the oxtail: Preheat the oven to 220°C/gas 7. Season the pieces of oxtail and lightly dust them with flour.

Roast in the oven for 30 minutes, turning them half way through to make sure they're nicely coloured on both sides.

Meanwhile heat the 60g butter in sauce pan and gently cook the onion, garlic and thyme for 3-4 minutes until soft, stirring every so often. Add the flour and tomato purée and stir well.

Gradually add in the wine and stock, stirring well to avoid lumps forming, and bring to the boil.

Add the pieces of oxtail then simmer gently on a low heat for about 2 hours (you could use a pressure cooker for this, it would cook in half the



time) Check the pieces of oxtail. The meat should be tender and easily removed from the bone; if not, replace the lid and cook for another 15 minutes or so.

Drain the oxtail in a colander over a bowl to reserve the sauce.

When the oxtail is cool enough to handle remove the pieces of meat from the bone and place in a saucepan with a little of the sauce.

Make the dressing by whisking all of the ingredients together and seasoning.

Toss the salad leaves, carrots and turnip with the dressing and arrange in the centre of the serving plates. Reheat the oxtail a little and spoon piles around the salad with a small amount of sauce just coating the meat then spoon a little more dressing over the oxtail.



**A Summer or winter salad - Oxtail salad**

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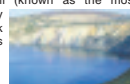
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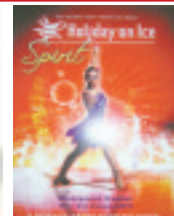
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### 5 DAYS IN TENBY PEMBROKESHIRE

DEPARTS: 03.05.10 RETURNS: 07.05.10

Your break will begin by travelling north and staying four nights at the Clarence house Hotel. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price, as well as a 1 hour free house bar every evening on this tour.

Itinerary: St Davids (officially Britain's smallest city with the largest cathedral in Wales, Fishguard (a pretty north Pembrokeshire coastal town and harbour), Tenby (free time in the town and a boat trip to Caldey Island, 3 miles from Tenby where the monks have lived in the monastery for 1,500 years). Admission charges may apply.

**£319**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## IRELAND

### 6 DAYS IN WEXFORD

DEPARTS: 10.05.10 RETURNS: 15.05.10

Travelling from Fishguard to Rossare then staying five nights at The Whites Hotel, Wexford. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Dublin, Waterford Glass, New Ross, Kilkenny, Avoca (Where popular tv series Ballykissangel was filmed), Glendalough, Wicklow, Hook Peninsula. Admission charges may apply.

**£479**

Valid passport required Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## ENGLAND

### 5 DAYS IN CUMBRIA & THE LAKE DISTRICT

DEPARTS: 17.05.10 RETURNS: 21.05.10

Your break will begin by travelling north to Carlisle and staying four nights at The Hallmark Hotel (Formerly the Lakes Court Hotel). Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Carlisle to Heysham via Hadrians Wall Carlisle to Settle - return by train Windermere with boat trip on the lake

**ALL INCLUSIVE £399**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## WALES

### NORTH WALES 6 DAY TOUR

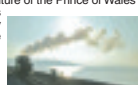
DEPARTS: 04.06.10 RETURNS: 09.06.10

Your break will begin by travelling to Caernarfon and spending five nights at the Celtic Royal Hotel, Caernarfon. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Portmeirion Village, Conwy, Llandudno, Gwynedd, Ormeau & Betws-y-Coed, Walled town of Caernarfon (the castle where the investiture of the Prince of Wales took place), Snowdonia National Park, Beaumaris Castle, Snowdon Mountain Railway, Ffestiniog Railway to Porthmadog (going through the Llechwedd state caverns), Llanfair Pwllgwygyl

**ALL INCLUSIVE £479**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## WALES

### 4 DAYS IN TENBY PEMBROKESHIRE

DEPARTS: 11.06.10 RETURNS: 14.06.10

Your break will begin by travelling to Tenby and staying three nights at the Clarence house Hotel. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price, as well as a 1 hour free house bar every evening on this tour.

Itinerary: St Davids (officially Britain's smallest city with the largest cathedral in Wales, Fishguard (a pretty north Pembrokeshire coastal town and harbour), Tenby (free time in the town), Carmarthen, Saundersfoot. Admission charges may apply

**£279**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## SCOTLAND

### 9 DAY IN INVERNESS

DEPARTS: 20.06.10 RETURNS: 28.06.10

Your break will begin by spending one night at the Hallmark Hotel, Carlisle (formerly the Lakes Court Hotel), a further five nights at the Inverness Palace Milton, and one night at the Hallmark on your return journey. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Pitlochry, Lochness Boat Cruise Jacobite Experience (visiting Urquhart Castle with free time in Inverness) (weather Permitting), Funicular Railway, Cairngorm Mountains, Aviemore, baxters Highland Village, Fort Augustus to view the Lochs, Glen Grant Distillery at Rothes, Pringle Woolen Mill.

**ALL INCLUSIVE £699**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms Overnight bag required



## BELGIUM

### BRUGES 5 DAY TOUR

DEPARTS: 04.07.10 RETURNS: 08.07.10

Your break will begin by travelling to Calais via the Shuttle and spending four nights at the Ibis Central, Bruges. Continental dinner, Bed and Breakfast Buffet are included in the price.

Itinerary: Dunkirk Belgian Chocolate Factory Ypres (where the Menin Gate is located and World War 1 memorials) Ostend, Leisure time in Bruges

**£419**

Single Supplements may apply



## IRELAND

### 9 DAYS IN TRALEE

DEPARTS: 11.07.10 RETURNS: 19.07.10

Travelling from Fishguard to Rossare and staying one night at The Whites Hotel, Wexford. Then travelling to Tralee and staying 6 nights at The Brandon Hotel then staying a further night back at The Whites Hotel on the return journey. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price

Itinerary: Dingle Experience, Ring of Kerry, Beara Ring, Lake Cruise and trip by jaunting car, Kilarney, Muckross House and Gardens, new Ross, Middleton, Waterford Glass. Admission charges may apply

**£599**

Single Supplements may apply, Valid passport required, Overnight bag required



## ENGLAND

### 5 DAYS IN EASTBOURNE

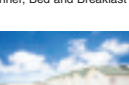
DEPARTS: 26.07.10 RETURNS: 30.07.10

Your break will begin by travelling to Eastbourne and spending four nights at the Mansion Lions Hotel, situated on the Grand Parade. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Canterbury-Hastings Beachy Head, Rye, Battle, Brighton, Leisure Day in Eastbourne

**ALL INCLUSIVE £319**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## SCOTLAND

### 8 DAYS IN OBAN

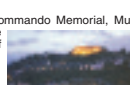
DEPARTS: 13.08.10 RETURNS: 20.08.10

Your break will begin by spending one night at the Hallmark Hotel, Carlisle (formerly the Lakes Court Hotel), a further five nights at the Royal Hotel, and one night at the Hallmark on your return journey. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Fort William, Neptune's Staircase, the Commando Memorial, Mull and Iona tour by Ferry and Coach, Gruachan, the Clow Mountain, Bridge over the Atlantic, Bridge of Orchy, Glencoe, Ballachulish, Seil Island

**ALL INCLUSIVE £599**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms Overnight bag required



## IRELAND

### 9 DAYS IN LISDOONVARNA

DEPARTS: 22.08.10 RETURNS: 30.08.10

Travelling from Fishguard to Rossare and staying one night at The Whites Hotel, Wexford. Then travelling to Lisdoonvarna and staying six nights at the Imperial Hotel and one night at the Whites Hotel on the return journey. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Tipperary, Ennis Town (13th Century Franciscan Friary - The Burren), Aran Island by boat & The Cliffs of Moher (Weather Permitting), Bunratty Folk Park, Kilmur, Killybegs, Killybegs, Malinbeg, Galway. Admission charges may apply.

**ALL INCLUSIVE £629**

Single Supplements may apply, Valid passport required, Overnight bag required.



## ENGLAND

### ILLUMINATIONS 5 DAYS IN BLACKPOOL

DEPARTS: 20.09.10 RETURNS: 24.09.10

Your break will begin by travelling north and staying four nights at the Belgrave Madison Hotel. The establishment is a family run hotel ideally situated at the quieter more select part of Blackpool. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price

Itinerary: Skipton, Foulridge Canal Boat Trip Hawes, Settle (Watershed Mill) Leisure time in Blackpool

**ALL INCLUSIVE £299**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## SCOTLAND

### 7 DAYS IN INVERNESS

DEPARTS: 02.10.10 RETURNS: 08.10.10

Your break will begin by spending one night at the Hallmark Hotel, Carlisle (formerly the Lakes Court Hotel), a further four nights at the Inverness Palace Milton, and one night at the Hallmark on your return journey. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Pitlochry, Lochness Boat Cruise Jacobite Experience (visiting Urquhart Castle with free time in Inverness) (weather Permitting), Funicular Railway, Cairngorm Mountains, Aviemore, baxters Highland Village, Fort Augustus to view the Lochs, Glen Grant Distillery at Rothes, Pringle Woolen Mill.

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## SCOTLAND

### 5 DAY SCOTTISH & NORTH ENGLAND TOUR

DEPARTS: 18.10.10 RETURNS: 22.10.10

Your break will begin by travelling north to Dumfriesshire and staying four nights at The Gretna Hall Hotel, situated in the heart of Gretna Green. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast included in the price.

Itinerary: Half day excursions to Dumfries, Carlisle, Hadrians Wall to Heysham, Lake Windermere, Kirkstone Pass. Admission charges may apply.

**£269**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## TURKEY & TINSEL

### 5 DAY SCOTTISH & NORTH ENGLAND

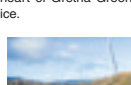
DEPARTS: 08.11.10 RETURNS: 12.11.10

Your break will begin by travelling north to Dumfriesshire and staying 4 nights at the Gretna Hall Hotel, situated in the heart of Gretna Green. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Half day excursion to Dumfries Carlisle, Hadrians Wall to Heysham Lake Windermere, Kirkstone Pass

**£299**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## TURKEY & TINSEL

### BLACKPOOL 5 DAY

DEPARTS: 15.11.10 RETURNS: 19.11.10

Your break will begin by travelling north and staying four nights at the Belgrave Madison Hotel. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Skipton, Settle, Foulridge Canal Boat Trip (weather Permitting) Hawes Christmas Market Time for Christmas Shopping in Blackpool

**ALL INCLUSIVE £239**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## HOLLY & MISTLETOE

### 4 DAYS IN TENBY

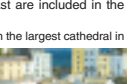
DEPARTS: 26.11.10 RETURNS: 29.11.10

Your break will begin by travelling north and staying four nights at the Belgrave Madison Hotel. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: St Davids (officially Britain's smallest city with the largest cathedral in Wales, Fishguard (a pretty north Pembrokeshire coastal town and harbour), Tenby, Carmarthen, Saundersfoot. Admission charges may apply.

**£229**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms



## TURKEY & TINSEL

### 7 DAYS IN INVERNESS

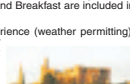
DEPARTS: 04.12.10 RETURNS: 10.12.10

Your break will begin by spending one night at the Hallmark Hotel, Carlisle (formerly the Lakes Court Hotel), a further four nights at the Inverness Palace Milton, and one night at the Hallmark on your return journey. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price.

Itinerary: Pitlochry, Lochness Boat Cruise Jacobite Experience (weather permitting), Funicular Railway, Cairngorm Mountains (weather permitting), Aviemore, Baxters Highland Village, Fort Augustus to view the Lochs, Glen Grant Distillery at Rothes, Pringle Woolen Mill. Admission charges may apply.

**ALL INCLUSIVE £569**

Limited number of NON-SINGLE SUPPLEMENT Rooms Overnight bag required



## TURKEY & TINSEL

### 5 DAYS IN THE ISLE OF WIGHT

DEPARTS: 14.12.10 RETURNS: 18.12.10

Your break will begin by travelling from Lymington to Yarmouth and staying four nights at the Burlington Hotel, located in Sandown. Dinner, Bed and Breakfast are included in the price

Itinerary: Day trip around the island Godshill, Rye, Walzing Waters We also have time to walk along the seaford at Sandown. Admission charges may apply.

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# Christmas In Charmouth

**Thursday, December 3rd - Victorian Late Night Christmas Shopping & Switch on of the Lights**

CHRISTMAS in Charmouth kicks off tomorrow (Dec 3<sup>rd</sup>) with the Victorian Late Night Christmas Shopping and lights switch on.

The Charmouth Traders Association will be following up on last year's successful event with all the village shops being open until 8pm, as well as a wide variety of stalls, run by local clubs and associations plus other crafts from people living in and around the village.

Everyone is invited to join whether in normal dress or Victorian guise, for mulled wine and mince pies, BBQ and carols, plus some live music, treasure hunt and yuletide entertainment.

St Andrews church is hosting Art from the Attic hoping to raise funds for the church.

The Streets Christmas Lights will be switched on at 5.30pm by Local Parish Council Chairman, Mallory Haytor and Santa will arrive shortly after to start the evening and greet all the children to distribute gifts from his grotto in traditional manner.

Tickets are already being sold for the Grand Raffle, with superb prizes, ranging from a holiday, dinner for two at a local restaurant, food, drink and goodie hamper, bottles, books and toys for all ages, which will help to raise funds for village causes. Further tickets will be sold on the night and drawn at 7.45pm.

Christmas Celebrations will continue throughout December with the highlight of the Charmouth Christmas Calendar on the big day itself.

The annual Christmas Day Swim will be held at the beach at 11am sharp on Christmas morning.

Swimmers are encouraged to wear fancy dress and hot toddlers will be waiting for those who take part.

Everyone is encouraged to come down and support the event to try and beat last years £1600 fundraising total and 200 participants.

Sponsorship forms are available online at [www.royaloakcharmouth.co.uk](http://www.royaloakcharmouth.co.uk), with money being raised for the RNLI.



## Late night shopping timetable:

**5.30** - Mallory Haytor Ch. Parish Council rings bell in street and announces lighting up - Father Christmas arrives and evening commences

**5.45** - 'Saxbusters' Wendy Knee and friends playing live outside Grotto to start the evening off with some live music.

**6.30** - Carols under the tree for everyone. Organised by Mike Whatmore and players

**7.15** - MAD singing songs from their forthcoming show

**7.45** - 8pm - Prize draw by Santa who will leave after



## Ida's Country Corner



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Local wines and beers, jams and chutneys and Moore's biscuits can also be purchased along with Food or skincare hampers for Christmas.

Why not pop in on the late night shopping evening and purchase some beautiful locally made goods.



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## The Salon



THE SALON is pleased to support the Charmouth Traders Ass Christmas Shopping Event now in its second year. We will be open until 8pm on the night and serving mulled wine.

We will be available to take appointments for that special Christmas hair do! So book now to avoid disappointment. We have some free goodies to give away and will also be selling haircare gift packs and offering mini treatments throughout the evening.

We stock a wide range of haircare products and gift vouchers are available to purchase for any hair or beauty treatment.

The team at The Salon would like to thank all our customers for their continued support and making our work so enjoyable. We would also like to wish you all a very Merry Christmas and a happy and healthy New Year!

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# View profile

# Taking the right path in life

Most people will probably know Mike Denham as the pianist with the very popular Sunset Cafe Stompers jazz band who recently celebrated their 20th anniversary.

Mike's brother is the Right Honourable John Denham, MP for Southampton and currently Secretary of State for Communities and Local Government in Gordon Brown's cabinet.

Mike admires John's determination to follow his political career, which has resulted in his brother reaching the pinnacle in politics, but it was not the road Mike chose to follow.

He cites the poem "The Road Not Travelled" by American poet Robert Frost as being a big influence in his life.

He said: "The poem is about someone who comes to a fork in a forest track and must choose between two equally intriguing paths. He knows there won't be time in life to come back and try the other one."

"I've always wanted to explore as many paths as possible. I have four

strands of interest in my life and I wanted to develop those to the best of my ability - whilst still living in one of the best parts of the country - Dorset. Having travelled a good part of the way through my personal forest by now, I'm hopeful I've chosen the right paths."

Mike was born in Seaton, Devon but moved to Uplyme when he was about six-years-old when his father Ted was appointed headmaster at Mrs Ethelston's Primary School, together with his mum Beryl and John.

"It was fantastic for John and I to roam the village as young boys where we used to explore the river, play cricket and get up to a host of other things," he said. "In those days the worst thing our parents had to worry about was us falling into a pool or something."

"Everybody you met in the village would speak to you, and I found it strange when I went to university in 'the big city' of Exeter where only friends from uni would acknowledge you. I think we really benefitted from living in Up-

**This week STUART BROOM talks to MIKE DENHAM. Despite having been at school together they have not seen each for forty years. Mike reflects on how a Robert Frost poem influenced his decision on his life and how he has no regrets**

lyme. It was a brilliant place to grow up in."

Mike's father was an influence in two of the strands of his life, which became so important to him - cricket and music.

He said: "Dad was a very good musician who played the violin and guitar, and around the age of eight encouraged me to take up the piano, partly I think because he needed an accompanist. Mr Saunders from Yawl was my tutor and I found I had an aptitude for it."

"Being a Yorkshireman, dad was also very keen on cricket and taught me to play."

Ted was a very accomplished batsman and, having played at Seaton, joined Uplyme and Lyme Regis Cricket Club when he moved to the village.

Said Mike: "I don't think I would have become involved had it not been for dad's encouragement. I'm also extremely grateful to

Brian Newbery who gave me the opportunity at schoolboy level and I had the honour of playing for both Dorset as I went to Lyme Regis Grammar School; and Devon because I lived in the county."

At school Mike's musical talents also blossomed and music teacher Brian Manners was very encouraging. It was another teacher who inspired Mike to become involved in his third interest. Chemistry teacher Ian McConachie had previously worked in industry as a chemical engineer and his enthusiasm and skill in the laboratory made a big impression with Mike.

After leaving school he went to Exeter University to study chemical engineering, and having earned his degree, then spent another three years successfully gaining his doctorate (PhD).

Whilst there, he continued with his cricket and music.

The highlight playing for the university cricket team was to play at Trent Bridge against Loughborough in the final of the British Universities Trophy, which they lost.

As wicket keeper/batsman, he was succeeded in the team by Paul Downton, who went on to play for England.

Musically he met a student who played with the Teign Valley Stompers, an up and coming jazz band that eventually turned professional, and used to play with them on many occasions.

"They played trad and ragtime and I liked the fact that you need to be disciplined when playing jazz," he said. "But at the same time have the opportunity to be individual in solo interludes."

It was also at university that he met his wife Julia, a fellow student, and they married before he finished his doctorate.

On qualifying he took a research job with British Gas in Solihull near Julia's home town of Birmingham, before moving to a Leicester company who designed nuclear power stations.

Here he continued his musical career by joining the famous Eric Dolby Jazzmen. This band would often invite guest stars to join them, and as a result Mike ended up playing with among others Humphrey Lyttleton and Ken Colyer.

Mike however yearned

to return to Dorset and after four years took a job as a researcher at the nuclear power centre at Winfrith.

He recalled: "I had a lot of responsibility and I travelled around Europe and to the USA on a variety of interesting projects."

Mike's expertise was put to good use on the designing of the pressurised water reactor at Sizewell in the mid 80s. His team successfully demonstrated that if the nuclear reactor lost all its cooling water it would not cause a meltdown or pose any serious threat to the public, an important aspect in the government issuing the site a license.

By now the fourth strand of Mike's life was complete with the birth of his two sons; Andrew, a carpenter who now lives in mid-Wales with his two children, and Matthew who works in IT in Bristol.

Back in Dorset Mike returned to playing cricket for Uplyme and he captained the side for a number of years.

"It was handy for us as we were able to visit my parents whilst I was also able to play cricket," he said. "It was great fun and there was wonderful camaraderie among the team. I also had the satisfaction of being able to contribute my project management skills to the team that built the new pavilion at the ground, inspired by Dennis Applebee who was a great servant of the cricket club."

A great highlight of Mike's cricket career was appearing for the club at Lords, the home of cricket, in September 1986 to celebrate their centenary year where they played Cross Arrows, a team which included county players and which was captained by John Stephenson, who became secretary of the MCC and the International Cricket Council.

Mike's day was crowned by scoring a century on the hallowed turf.

"It was a fabulous day out for the club and a coach full of supporters; which for me was topped off by scoring the century," he said.

In a quest to play the best cricket he could, Mike finished his career at Weymouth where he played Dorset Premier league cricket for several years.

"The standard was higher but the teas were not so good," he confessed.

In the late 80s Mike encountered a trumpet player he had played with in the Midlands, Alan Potton.

They formed the Sunset Cafe Stompers and soon secured a regular booking from Ray Buzza at the Bull Hotel in Bridport where they played for 15 years until new owners bought the business.

Such was the growing



success of his musical work, both solo and with bands, Mike found it difficult to fit it around his full-time job at Winfrith and with the decline of nuclear power at that time due to cheap North Sea Gas he accepted redundancy in 1999.

Whilst the switch from nuclear power to gas resulted in Mike leaving the industry he knew, it was in fact a blessing in disguise and opened another door for him.

Using his experience from Winfrith, he set up a consultancy business to help North Sea oil and gas producers decide which wells they should drill and what type of production platforms to build for each field, which he ran for eight years.

Said Mike: "My background in decision-making on big investments and running engineering projects in my previous job was of great benefit, and I found the work fascinating and very stimulating."

"With the growth of e-mail I was able to work from home a lot and just travel to Aberdeen for meetings which suited me fine, and gave me the time and opportunity to fit in concerts at places like London's Purcell Room and jazz festivals all over the UK."

More attractive gig offers came in and Mike decided to concentrate on his music.

The Sunset Cafe Stompers celebrated their 20th anniversary this year and continue to be extremely popular working extensively all over Dorset and Somerset, including a regular gig at Winyards Gap, Chedington where you can see them on the second Monday of every month.

Mike is pleased to see that despite New Orleans

jazz being seen as an older person's music in this area, there are plenty of young musicians following on, doing things their way.

"There are some very good young musicians and bands playing New Orleans jazz, ragtime and boogie, particularly in London," said Mike, known in the band as "The Professor" an honorary title given to pianists in the red light district of New Orleans.

Although his father Ted died a few years ago, mum Beryl still lives in Uplyme and is well known in the area.

"Mum looked after us at home until we grew up and then blossomed through her involvement in the community," said Mike. "She is very community spirited and besides being current Chair of Uplyme Parish Council, she has captained Lyme Regis Golf Club and is actively involved in the Royal British Legion, and the Horticultural Society."

Looking back on his life so far, Mike recalls the words of Robert Frost:

"I shall be telling this with a sigh

Somewhere ages and ages hence:

Two roads diverged in a wood, and I—

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And that has made all the difference."

Mike often wonders - as in the Frost poem - what would have happened if he'd chosen another path, but says: "I've been lucky to have been given several talents, and I'm glad I've been able to use each one. I might not have reached the top in any field, but I wouldn't have wanted it any other way."



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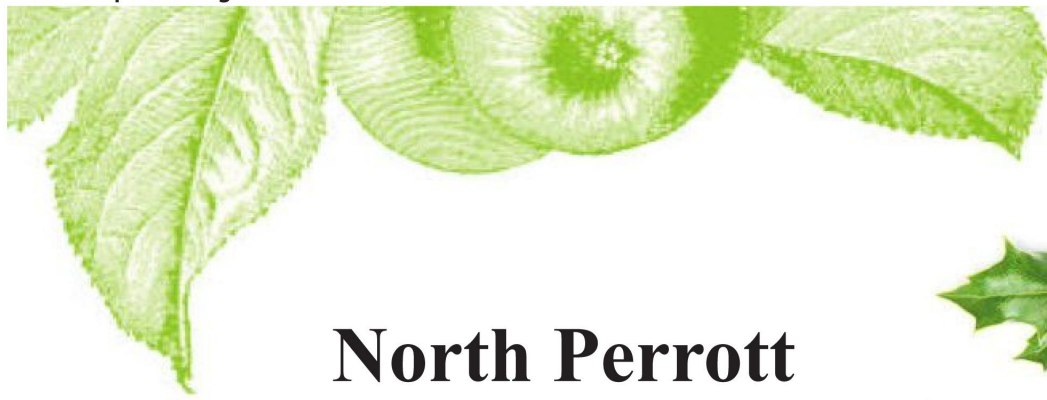
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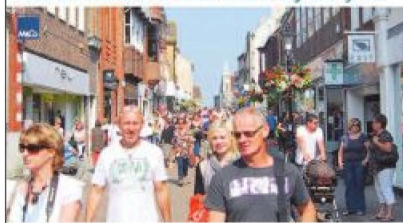
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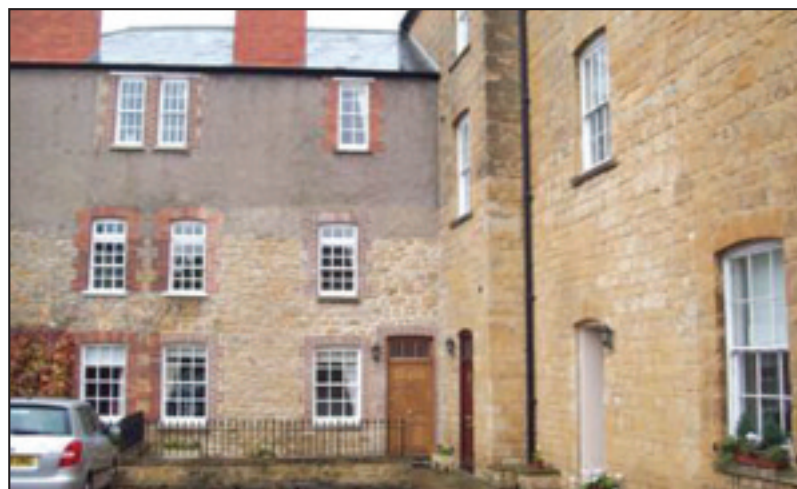
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- Kitchen
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- Bathroom
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- Parking

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- Sitting Room
- Dining Room
- Conservatory
- Kitchen
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- Gas Central Heating

## LYME REGIS - £275,000



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- Kitchen
- Shower room
- Parking

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- Entrance hallway
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- Utility room
- Master bedroom
- Four further bedrooms
- Two bathrooms
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- Gardens

## CHARDSTOCK - £495,000



- Village location
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- Family bathroom

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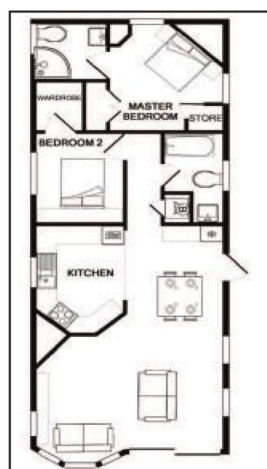
## CHARMOUTH - £295,000



A modern semi-detached house situated close to the village amenities and a level walk to the beach

- Entrance Hall
- Dining/Sun Room
- Patio Garden
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- Utility Room
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- Living Room
- Three Bedrooms
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- Gas-Fired Central-Heating

## CHARMOUTH - £110,000



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## Diary Dates

### THURSDAY DECEMBER 3RD

**DORCHESTER:** Dorchester Town Football Club are holding their grand Christmas Bingo at the Jewson Stadium. Doors open at 6.30pm, eyes own at 7.30pm. Lots of festive prizes and cash jackpots - all ages welcome.

### FRIDAY DECEMBER 4TH

**LYME REGIS:** Tom Gordon to give presentation at Woodmead Halls - organised by Lyme Photographic Club. From 7.30pm. Telephone 01297 444733 for more details.

### SATURDAY DECEMBER 5TH

**BRIDPORT:** Church Christmas Tree Fayre at Bridport United Church Hall from 10am - 1pm. Telephone 01308 424551 for more details.

**LYME REGIS:** Coffee Morning at the Royal Lion Hotel at 10am in aid of Lyme Regis Majorettes

### MONDAY DECEMBER 7TH

**LYME REGIS:** Christmas Bingo at the Woodmead Halls, doors open at 7pm, eyes down at 8pm.

### TUESDAY DECEMBER 8TH

**BRIDPORT:** Bridport History Society talk "History of Bridport Museum & collections" by Alice Martin, Curator, at 2.30pm in United Church Main Hall, East Street. Visitors welcome £2. Telephone 01308 488034 or 456876 for more details.

### FRIDAY DECEMBER 11TH

**LYME REGIS:** Save the Children - Mince Pies and Coffee Morning at the Baptist Church Hall, Cnr Silver Street and Sherborne Lane. 10am - 12noon. Telephone 01297 560694 or 560402 for more details.

### SATURDAY DECEMBER 12TH

**BRIDPORT:** Christmas Coffee Morning with various stalls at Bridport United Church Hall from 10am - 12noon. In aid of Action for Children. Telephone 01308 423250 for more details.

**BRIDPORT:** Barnardos Bridport branch is holding a mince pies and coffee morning with live music from West Dorset Music Centre at the Town Hall from 10am - 12noon. There will also be a raffle and christmas cards for sale.

### FRIDAY DECEMBER 18TH

**LYME REGIS:** Peter Wiles presents 'The Works' plus Xmas party at the Community Hall, Halletts Court from 7.30pm. Organised by Lyme Bay Photographic Club. Telephone 01297 444733 for more details.

### SATURDAY DECEMBER 19TH

**BRIDPORT:** Sing for Marie Curie at Bridport United Church Hall. Everybody welcome to join in carols.

## THE ACTING CALEDONIANS CHRISTMAS PANTOMIME: MOTHER GOOSE

THE Acting Caledonians of Weymouth are presenting their 38th pantomime - Mother Goose - which promises to be a riot of fun and drama suitable for all ages. All profits go to two deserving charities: Early Birds and Macmillan Cancer Relief.

Tickets at the door or phone 01305 784187. Performances at The United Reformed Church Hall, Spa Road, Radipole, Weymouth on Tuesday 8th December at 7.30, Thursday 10th December at 7.30, Friday 11th December and Saturday 12th December at 2.30.

## Wyke Regis Street Fayre

WEYMOUTH'S annual Wyke Regis street fayre will be held this Sunday (December 6th) starting at noon.

There are twice as many stalls this year as there were in 2008 with a wide range of crafts, food and drink.

All Saints choir and organist will give a recital in the church while there will be singing from Island Voices and Wyke Junior School in the Square.

A Wyke Then and Now exhibition and a children's Christmas card competition as well as more stalls and refreshments will be held in the hall.

### TABLE TOP FAIR

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12th December  
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Tables £5  
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Father Christmas will be in attendance and the popular children's fancy dress competition will again be held while curry, chilli, mulled wine and mince pies will all be available.

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## LOCAL CHILDREN IN PAVILION PANTO

STAGECOACH Theatre schools in Weymouth and Dorchester are in the final preparation stage for the local panto "Wizard of Oz" which opens on December 17th at the Weymouth Pavilion. The children will be playing the part of Munchkins in the Land of Oz between December 27th and 30th.

Twenty children have been rehearsing on a weekly basis since early October at the Wey Valley School and Dorchester Middle School.

Lindy Carr of Weymouth Stagecoach said: "This is a wonderful opportunity for the students to gain some real experience of a professional theatre pro-

duction - they are having great fun but learning at the same time."

The Wizard of Oz is turning out to be a local favourite with it returning again this year. Joel Beckett from BBC's East Enders will be performing in his first pantomime, taking on the role of the Wizard of Oz himself. Michelle Whitney will be taking that giant step over the rainbow as the day dreaming Dorothy.

Tickets are available from : [www.weymouth.gov.uk](http://www.weymouth.gov.uk) Weymouth Pavilion box office 01305 783225.

## Walk off Christmas for charity

WELDMAR Hospicecare Trust are launching their third 'Seasonal Circuit' men only sponsored walk which will take place on Saturday, January 2nd. The walk will be started by Councillor Anne Kenwood, Mayor of Weymouth and Portland, at 10am from Weymouth Pavilion.

Walkers will be led by Paul Moxham who was part of the winning British team that undertook the 'Race to the North Pole' challenge in 2008 and the route will proceed along the beautiful seafront to Oasis Café at Overcombe corner (6K) or for those who like more of a challenge, to the Riviera Hotel, Bowleaze Cove (10K) and return to the Pavilion.

After the Christmas and New Year festivities a brisk walk along Weymouth seafront will help to work off the calories and provide an ideal excuse to get out into the fresh air, or you may be looking for an ideal excuse to avoid the January sales! To register please contact the Fundraising Office 01305 215315 or visit our website

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## START YOUR CHRISTMAS WITH LYME TOWN BAND!



WEEKS of practice will reach their conclusion on Saturday, December 12th when the Lyme Regis Town Band give their annual Christmas Concert at the Woodmead Halls, sponsored by AJ Wakely and Sons.

An entertaining evening is always assured and this year will prove no exception. Musical Director, John Powell, has chosen a varied programme, combining old and new, sacred and secular. The band's programme begins in lively style with an arrangement of the medieval carol 'Gaudete', brought to a wider audience some years ago by Steeleye Span.

The first half will end with Wham's ever popular 'Wake me up before you go-go' in a lively and interesting arrangement by international conductor and arranger Philip Harper. Philip led his second successful workshop with the band earlier this year. In this arrangement, the audience will hopefully be thrilled by the band's vocal talents as well as their instrumental!

This year for the first time, the Band welcomes as its compere local personality and entertainer Roy Webber. As well as the musical introductions, Roy will also present two entertainment spots of his own. If you enjoy a good carol-sing, there will be plenty of opportunities for you with the inclusion of many old favourites throughout the evening. Other classic arrangements from the band will include 'Let it Snow', 'O Holy Night' and 'Winter Wonderland', not forgetting the nostalgic 'White Christmas', which will evoke memories of Christmases past for many listeners.

So why not start your Christmas with a great evening's entertainment? The concert begins at 7.30 pm and there is a licensed bar and raffle. Tickets are £5 and selling fast, so get along to Primary Colours in Broad Street, contact any band member or telephone 01297 442719 (evenings).



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There is no Victorian Evening in Weymouth this year, and many people are saddened by this. Come and enjoy your annual festive Victorian treat with us, revel in the timeless beauty of Dickens' words, and meet with the vibrant and energetic band of players who make up the theatre; those you are used to seeing on stage, and those who usually work hard behind the scenes. Join the RMT family for this warm, friendly evening, full to the brim of genuine Christmas cheer.

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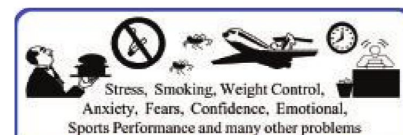
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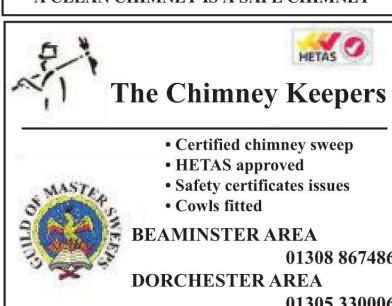
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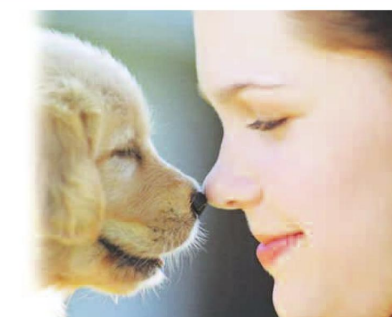
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- **Available to order now with first deliveries from January**
- **Renault pre-empt the Christmas sales with the introduction of a new entry level version of its stunning Laguna Coupé. The Coupé TomTom is based on the dCi 150 with the addition of Renault's innovative Carminat TomTom system, automatic parking brake and stylish satin chrome centre console.**

PRICED from just £19,995 on-the-road, the Coupé TomTom represents a saving of over £2,100 compared to the previous entry-level version when equipped to a similar level.

As befits a luxury coupé, standard equipment levels are already impressive. The Coupé TomTom also includes Arkamys 3D Sound 140W audio system with MP3 CD reader and Bluetooth, 18" 'Interlagos' alloy wheels, eight airbags, automatic lights and wipers, dual zone climate control, electric heated door mirrors, MP3 player connection, rear parking sensors, Super Fold rear seat system and xenon headlights.

As well as its generous equipment list, the Laguna Coupé TomTom offers ample opportunity to tailor versions to individual tastes

through several options including cruise control with speed limiter (£250), metallic paint (£395), Multi-functional TunePoint (£175), hands free card (£250) and tyre pressure monitor

(£250).

The stylish coupé undercuts its rivals, the BMW 320d SE by a significant £8,535 (£28,530 OTR) and Peugeot 407 Sport HDi 163 by £2,995 (£22,990 OTR).

New Laguna Coupé TomTom is available to order now with first deliveries due in January. For more information, visit [www.renault.co.uk](http://www.renault.co.uk) or your nearest Renault dealer.



## Renault also launches entry-level new Megane Sport Tourer Extreme

NEW entry-level Mégane Sport Tourer Extreme launches with 1.6 100 petrol and 1.5 dCi 86 diesel engine, costing £14,935 and £16,685 respectively - £1,000 less than Expression model. Core equipment includes: 4x15W radio with RDS and CD, air conditioning, ESP and front electric windows. Renault has boosted the appeal of its stylish New Mégane Sport Tourer range with the launch of an all-new Extreme trim level, priced from £14,935.

In the current economic climate, value-for-money is a key priority for purchasers and the two new Extreme models - 1.6 100 and 1.5 dCi 86 - offer a well-equipped entry-point to the New Mégane Sport Tourer range in a frugal, refined and stylish package.

Value-conscious buyers opting for either Extreme model will not be disappointed by the generous level of equipment on offer, with a 4x15W radio RDS CD system with AUX input,

air conditioning, ESP, Renault keycard and front electric windows all as standard. Notably, the chic French newcomer undercuts its rivals, the Ford Focus Estate Style 1.6 Duratec 100PS by a considerable £3,010\* (£17,945 OTR), not to mention Volkswagen's New Golf S Estate 1.2 TSI by £1,445\* (£16,380 OTR).

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Announced on the Suzuki show stand at the International Motorcycle & Scooter Show by sales and marketing director, David Taylor, the limited run features a unique colour scheme, replicating the 1996 GSX-R750, with a Yoshimura exhaust and commemorative individually numbered top yoke plaque and certificate.

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#### CORONATION CUP SEMI-FINAL

UNDERDOGS Charnmouth managed to keep the free-scoring South Petherton front line under wraps for 20 minutes at Lightgate Lane.

But once Pethy took the lead through a cleverly worked Rich Heb-ditch header there was only going to be one outcome. Jody Bovey netted soon after and John Hayter and Heb-ditch with his 22nd of the season gave the hosts a 4-0 lead at the break.

Bovey took his personal tally up to 17 and Mark Tierney and Paul Holt, with a superb 25-yard chip, completed the rout and made it six wins on the spin for Karl Diment's outfit.

Pethy's opponents in the Boxing Day Final are still to be decided after a waterlogged Davey Fort caused the postponements of the Lyme Regis v Combe Reserves tie.

#### JACK VENN CUP ROUND ONE

AFTER a goal less first-half Beaminster Reserves unbeaten home record was smashed by South Petherton Reserves.

The visitors, boosted by the inclusion of Lee Bland and the returning from injury Danny Rendall cruised through the second 45 and clocked-up five unanswered goals in the process. Mark Padfield (3), Danny Rodgers and Owen Jary found the net for Pethy who ended a dodgy run of just one win in six.

#### KENNY HODGES CUP ROUND ONE

THE ominous weather forecast prompted Farway United Reserves to wisely switch their game from their boggy Eastlee Park to opponents' Charnmouth Reserves' Barrs Lane.

And the switch worked perfectly with two-time cup winners Farway thrashing the struggling Robins 7-0 with goals from Chris Legg (2), Rob Down (2), Stuart Turner, Chris Haynes and Lewis Grant.

Charnmouth meanwhile are still seeking a new Reserve team manager. Any body interested should ring 01297 560529.

Ricky Anderson continued his fine goal scoring form for Chard United Reserves with two in the 5-3 victory at Combe B. Kristian Rockett, Rob Mil-som and Darren Ayres were also on target for United with the Saints' consolations coming from Hamish Evans (2) and Steve Chadwick who netted

his fifth of the season.

High-flying Waytown Hounds were taken all the way to extra-time by plucky Hawkchurch Reserves before emerging with a 5-2 win at Netherbury.

Gary Corry put the Hounds ahead in the 20th minute but Stuart Weir, with his sixth goal in four games levelled before the interval.

An own goal restored the hosts lead but Dave Mayo forced the extra half-hour with a goal midway through the half.

Mike Ackerman, making his debut after recovering from injury edged Waytown ahead for the third time and they never looked back with a double from Matt Read, to take his tally up to a round dozen, making the win safe. Top Hound was central mid-fielder Paul Watkins.

◆ Revised draw: Farway United Res v Barrington Res, Hinton Res v Winsham Res, Ilminster A v Waytown Hounds, Thorncombe Res v Chard United Res.

#### DAISY HUTCHINGS CUP ROUND TWO

WINSHAM United's hopes of getting their hands on the 39-year-old trophy for the first time are alive and well following a routine 5-0 win over Division Two Outfit Chard United. Ex-United man Tom Stead led the way with two but missed a penalty much to the amusement of his former team mates. Henry Broome, Shane Scott and Joe Langridge were also on target for Division One side.

#### PREMIER DIVISION

THE West-Dorset local-derby went with form with Beaminster extending their lead at the top of the Division to six points with a 4-3 victory over lowly White Horse at Symonds-bury.

Horse manager Ian Pincombe felt aggrieved that his side conceded two first-half penalties that he described as 'very soft'. Murray Legg missed the first with the score line still goal less but made amends with his 12th and 13th goals of the season soon after. The second spot-kick was successfully converted by Tristan Gale to give the Rainbows a comfortable 3-0 half-time cushion. The cushion was 'plum-ped' up to four by an Andy Southern header two minutes after the restart to put the visitors in complete con-

trol.

Cue the Horse fight back. Tom Gale began proceedings with the third penalty of the match and Tom Franklin made in 2-4 with 25 minutes remaining. Colin Paull reduced the arrears further still in the 87th minute but Beaminster held on and Horse slipped to their sixth straight reverse.

There's also a distinct result trend developing at Misterton where a 1-1 draw against Barrington at Unity Lane gave Aidge Diment's side their fourth one point haul in five outings – shades of Manchester City.

Jack Platt put Missy in front with a scorcher after 15 minutes only for Craig Steer to also test the goal nets to their limit before the break with his fifth goal in Yellow Hammers colours.

Diment felt his side dominated the second-half and looked to heading for a welcome win when they were awarded an 81st minute penalty but Paul Gold missed and the points were shared with the visitors extending their unbeaten League run to six games.

How Crewkerne Town would welcome such a run. The Tigers, reigning League Champions, were beaten for the seventh game in a row and must now be serious contenders for the drop. The latest team to leave Budgie Cook and his men empty-handed were neighbours Ilminster Town Reserves who also recorded a League double courtesy of first-half strikes from George Partridge and Dan Vining in a 2-0 win.

Crewkerne, who failed to find the net for the first time in 31 matches, have made an adjustment to their management structure with Cook stepping aside to number two to new manager, and club chairman, Nick Murphy.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Beaminster.....	9	8	0	1	44	8	24
South Petherton.....	7	6	0	1	35	6	18
Lyme Regis.....	7	6	0	1	22	9	18
Barrington.....	8	4	2	2	18	19	14
Ilminster Town Res.....	9	4	1	4	23	16	13
Combe Reserves.....	8	4	1	3	19	16	13
Perry Street.....	9	4	1	4	21	33	13
Merriott Rovers.....	6	3	0	3	18	17	9
Misterton.....	8	2	3	3	13	18	9
Crewkerne.....	9	2	0	7	18	30	6
White Horse.....	7	1	0	6	10	21	3
Charnmouth.....	9	0	9	11	59	0	0

#### DIVISION ONE

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Nags Head A.....	7	3	0	0	45	11	14
Rousdon Club.....	6	4	1	1	35	13	9
George A.....	6	3	2	1	27	21	8
Nags Z.....	7	3	1	3	27	29	7
Rockpoint A.....	7	2	2	3	26	30	6
Lamb A.....	7	1	3	3	26	30	5
Lamb B.....	7	2	1	4	22	34	5
Nags Head B.....	7	0	0	7	8	48	0

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Rubber Johns.....	4	3	0	1	24	8	6
Young Guns +1.....	4	2	2	0	21	11	6
Talbot Arms.....	4	3	0	1	20	12	6
Royal Standard.....	4	1	0	4	23	39	5
George B.....	5	1	0	4	9	31	2
Royal Oak.....	5	0	1	4	7	33	1

◆ Stat leaders: 180s (top) Terry Prowse 4, Highest shot-out: Jon Bowditch 131.  
Fixtures for Thursday, December 3rd: Lamb B v George A, Nags Head A v Rock Point A, Nags Head B v Nags Z, Rousdon Club v Lamb A, Royal Oak v Talbot Arms, Young Guns +1 v Royal Standard.

LYME Regis Reserves played probably their first ever 'home' League match at Venlake Field home of neighbours Uplyme.

However the soggy conditions and constant rain was clearly better suited to opponents Farway United and the Seasideers were scuppered by a 3-1 defeat.

Tom Albano put the Devonians ahead in the 28th minute in somewhat fortuitous circumstances when his block tackle with Stuart King resulted in the ball squirting out and into the top corner to leave Jedd Whittington in the Lyme goal with no chance.

The lead was doubled 30 seconds into the second-half when James Salter got his just-rewards for a Man-of-the-Match performance with a well taken second. The away win was confirmed when youngster Bradley King sneaked in unmarked at the back post on the hour.

Steve Batey did head home Julien Simier's cross in the 70th minute but the Seasideers comeback was never really on. Top performers for Lyme were Aaron Cleal and right-back Rob Larcombe.

Meanwhile struggling Pymore failed to raise a side for the trip to Thorncombe who have now been clicking their heels for six weeks!

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Merriott Reserves.....	7	6	0	1	19	10	18
W & M Chinnock.....	6	5	1	0	30	13	16
Farway United.....	7	4	2	1	15	8	14
Forton Rangers.....	6	4	1	1	12	8	13
Ilminster Colts.....	6	2	3	1	16	15	9
Netherbury.....	4	2	0	2	13	7	8
Thorncombe.....	7	2	1	4	17	16	7
Winsham United.....	6	2	0	4	13	16	6
Lyme Regis Reserves.....	6	1	1	4	12	22	4
Chard Rangers.....	7	1	1	5	13	28	4
Pymore.....	5	0	2	3	6	14	2
Perry Street Reserves.....	7	0	2	5	14	24	2

#### DIVISION TWO

GOALS from Andy North (2), Chris Lang and Chris North ended a run of six games without a win for Dowlish & Donyatt who won 4-2 at Hinton.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Millway Rise.....	9	8	1	0	27	13	25
Norton Athletic.....	8	6	0	2	34	17	18
Beaminster Reserves.....	7	4	0	3	14	15	12
Hinton St George.....	9	3	2	4	25	21	11
Shepton Beauchamp.....	6	3	1	2	16	7	10



DERBY-DAY DOUBLE | Murray Legg scored two and missed a pen.



GOOD TIMES | Nick Pomeroy's 'Horse Reserves stunned Hawks



MotM | Rob Larcombe was in fine form for Lyme Regis Reserves

Dowlish & Donyatt.....	9	3	1	5	28	32	10
South Petherton Res.....	8	2	2	4	19	19	8
Forton Rangers Res.....	6	2	2	2	10	12	8
Drumpton.....	7	2	0	5	16	25	6
Uplyme.....	6	1	1	4	9	19	4
Chard United.....	5	1	0	4	8	26	3

#### DIVISION THREE

WHITE Horse Reserves pulled-off the result of the day by returning from League leaders Hawkchurch after snatching a 2-1 win.

All looked good for the Hawks as Gavin Herrod gave his side a slender half-time lead. But Russell Weller levelled to turn the game on its head and, with the hosts chasing a winner, Horse landed an 85th minute break away sucker-punch when Russell Old-bury pounced on a defensive howler to end Hawkchurch's 100 per cent home record.

	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Hawkchurch.....	8	7	0	1	38	17	21
Crewkerne Rangers.....	7	6	0	1	34	9	18
Fivehead United.....	6	4	0	2	17	16	12
Misterton Reserves.....	6	3	1	2	17	16	10
White Horse Res.....	6	3	1	2	12	14	10
Combe A.....	7	3	0	4	14	18	9
Millway Rise Reserves.....	9	3	0	6	18	24	9
Shepton Reserves.....	8	3	0	5	18	30	9
Lyme Bantams.....	7	3	0	4	16	17	6*
Crewkerne Reserves.....	5	2	0	3	13	14	6
Luso-Chard.....	5	2	0	3	12	13	6
Chard Rangers Res.....	8	1	0	7	9	30	3

\* = points deducted

#### RESULTS: Saturday, November 28th

Somerset Junior Cup, Round 2  
Merriott Rovers 6 Chew Magna 3  
Perry Street w/o v AFC Durbin (withdraw)

#### Somerset Intermediate Cup, Round 2

AFC Nailsea 8 Combe A 5  
Forton Rangers 4 Stoke Sub Hamdon 2  
West & Middle Chinnock 2 Civil Service 0

#### Coronation Cup, Semi-finals

South Petherton 7 Charnmouth 0

#### Jack Venn Cup, Round 1

Beaminster Reserves 0 South Petherton Res 5

#### Kenny Hodges Cup, Round 1

Combe B 3 Chard United Reserves 5  
Farway United Res 7 Charnmouth Reserves 0  
Waytown Hounds 5 Hawkchurch Reserves 2 aet

#### Daisy Hutchings Cup, Round 2

Chard United 0 Winsham United 5

#### Premier Division

	P	W	D	L	Pts	Beer
Smashers.....	7	7	0	0	14	6
Abandon Ship.....	7	5	0	2	10	8
Bids & Babes.....	7	4	1	2	9	10
La Creme.....	7	4	0	3	8	8
Wootton Wobblers.....	7	4	0	3	8	8
Hot Gossips.....	7	4	0	3	8	5
Rollercoasters.....	7	4	0	3	8	3
Just Us.....	7	3	1	3	7	13
Oh So Georgious.....	7	3	1	3	7	8
Rock A Byes.....	7	3	0	4	6	12
Generations.....	7	2	1	4	5	10
Castaways.....	7	2	0	5	4	4
Deano's Divas.....	7	2	0	5	4	3
Gobstoppers.....	7	0	0	7	0	0

#### Mens Palmer Cup, first round:

Skippy's Six 331 Anthill Mob 319 (S. Rowland, P. Kirkman, S. Smith 58), Wreckers 351 Cowboys 407 (I. Johnson 83), Hot Rocks 398 Rousdon Rebels 352 (J. Bond 75), Alleytwits 306 Young Guns 344 (M. Denning 71), Marksmen 372 British Legion 332 (A. Stevens, N. Hampton-Rumbold 74), Sherberts 316 Flyers 336 (A. Churchill 70). Missing results: Roadrunners v Wootton Tornadoes, Trappers v No Hoppers.

## LYME REGIS LADIES GOLF

Turkey Trot Stableford held on November 26th.

The competition was played in windy conditions with the threat of heavy rain. Remarkably there were some reasonable scores in.

Results:

#### Division 1

1st Jane Southcombe 30pts, 2nd Jane Dixon 29pts acb, 3rd Gill Court-trill 29pts acb, 4th Geraldine Wickes 27pts.

#### Division 2

1st Gloria Lott 37pts, 2nd Glenys Phillips 32pts, 3rd Jean Moss 31pts, 4th Angela Clark 29pts.

#### Division 3

1st Sheila Claringbold 25pts acb, 2nd Hanna Jacobsen 25pts acb, 3rd Flicity Horton 23pts.

## SWIMMING NEWS

CHARD & District Swimming Club competed in the second round of the National Arena Swimming League on Saturday 14th November 2009 which was held at the Pyramids Pool, Exeter writes Steph Hallam.

Once again, there was some tremendous swimming throughout the evening.

Abigail Dare, 12 and Jake Hallam, 13, both obtained new club records in the 100m Butterfly event, improving upon their previous times. Abigail 1-18-06 (12 yrs and under) and Jake 1-06-27 (14 yrs and under).

The boys 13 yrs and under team of, Ben Fowler, Daniel Walker, Jake Hallam, and Huw Khan-Davies achieved 2nd in the 4 x 50m Medley relay. Individuals coming 2nd were: Ben Fowler, 13, in the 100m Backstroke; and Elsie Emery, 10, in the 50m Butterfly. Elsie also obtained a 3rd in her 50m Breaststroke. Other individuals coming 3rd were: Jake Hallam, 13, in the 100m Butterfly and 100m Freestyle; and Oliver Bilbie, 11, in the 50m Freestyle. The girls 9 – 11 yrs 4

x 50 Medley relay team consisting of Chloe Bryant, Marsha Emery, Elsie Emery and Lauren van den Barselaar also came 3rd.

The club would like to thank the company "And so to Bed" for their kind donation which was used to sponsor the new Squad Tracksuits which are helping to promote the team image. A special thank you also goes to the team Coaches, John and Pam Farrant, June Turner, Roger Welch and Amy Rodger for all their continued support.

The full squad are looking forward to swimming in the final round which will be held in Barry, South Wales, on the 13th December 2009.

Final Scores: Millfield 236, Cardiff A 200, Exeter City 192, Nofio Sir Gar 153, Chard & District 140, Ferndown 116 Local swimmers from this area in the Squad: Elsie Emery, Marsha Emery, Oliver Bilbie, Lewis Pearson, Jamie Pullinger, Abigail Dare, Lauren Harrison, Ben Fowler, Jake Hallam, Laura Coombs, Hannah Pullinger, Beckie Rutherford, Adam Bristow, James Rutherford, Luke van den Barselaar and Jack Fish.



# Olympic officials happy with sailing academy

LONDON 2012 and international officials have praised the Weymouth and Portland National Sailing Academy (WPNSA) since the award winning venue's official construction completion 12 months ago.

The Olympic Delivery Authority (ODA) completed work on new enhanced sailing facilities at the Academy in November last year in preparation for the Olympic and Paralympic sailing events to be held in Weymouth and Portland in 2012.

The completion of the works saw Weymouth and Portland become the first 2012-specific venue ready, delivering an early legacy of world-class facilities for all ages and abilities to use.

The new enhanced sailing facilities based next to some of the best boating waters on the planet have propelled Weymouth and Portland onto the world stage whilst maintaining a strong commitment to legacy in the local community.

Since opening the venue has already successfully hosted the final event of the 2008-09 ISAF Sailing World Cup Series, Sail for Gold, RS:X and Techno World Championships, as well as hosting RYA elite training camps, Farr 45 Yacht Racing National Championships, match racing and numerous local dinghy events throughout 2009.

Sebastian Coe, the chairman of London 2012, said: "Since last November's completion of enhancement works, the WPNSA has hosted spectacular sailing competitions, held several training camps as well as running innovative community sailing schemes.

"Together with the adjacent commercial Portland Marina that was completed in the summer this year, London 2012 has its first fully operational new venue in place.

"In the coming year, we look forward to working with our venues and the local community as we progress our plans for hosting 14 days of Olympic sailing competition and six days of Paralympic sailing competition in the summer of 2012."

ODA director Ralph Luck said WPNSA is a "first-class venue".

He added: "The world class events leading up to them will help boost its deserved reputation as one of the best venues

in the world.

"The 2012 project is driven by legacy and it is fantastic to see the enhanced facilities in Weymouth and Portland being used by sailors of all ages and abilities well ahead of the Games."

John Longley, the event director of the 2011 ISAF Sailing World Championships in Perth, was also full of praise for the facility but warned the rest of the sport that it would only make British sailing, already the best in the world, even stronger and more difficult to beat.

He said: "The Weymouth facility sets the standard for venues of this nature globally.

"With such a well thought out permanent facility, British sailing will be tough to beat in the foreseeable future.

"The fact that the facility is able to house so many yachts with apparent ease in a relatively compact footprint, helps build the sense of a single event while still conducting multiple competitions across a number of classes.

"This sense of a single event and the camaraderie it builds across all the sailors of every class is an aspect we aspire to replicate during Perth 2011."

Meanwhile Ben Ainslie, the triple Olympic gold medalist who is a director of the WPNSA, added: "Hosting the sailing events for the London 2012 Olympic Games and Paralympic Games on the home waters of Weymouth and Portland is a major positive for Britain's sailors and windsurfers.

"These waters are some of the best on the planet for clean racing and the Weymouth and Portland National Sailing Academy has demonstrated that it is a modern venue adept at coping with mass numbers of international participants who expect world class facilities to train and compete from."



**MAJOR POSITIVE** | Olympic Gold medalist Ben Ainslie who is a director of WPNSA

## SPORTS NEWS IN BRIEF

**FOOTBALL:** CHICKERELL United appeal against a three point penalty for playing an unregistered player has been thrown out by the Dorset County Football association.

The Chickens were found guilty of fielding an ineligible player - Gavin Daniels - in a Dorset Premier League fixture earlier this season.

United were adamant that the player's registration form was signed appropriately, citing a postal strike as the reason for any confusion, but county officials weren't convinced and so the three point deduction stands.

**SPEEDWAY:** WORLD Under-21 champion Darcy Ward has joined Poole from Premier League club King's Lynn.

The Dorset side fought off competition from many of their rivals to secure the Australian ace. Club owner Matt Ford said: "This is a great

day for the Pirates faithful. My pledge was to make amends for the poor season we had in 2009 and in Darcy we have a true winner."

**CRICKET:** FORMER Dorset star Richard Scott has been named as Middlesex's new head coach. The 46-year-old, who also played for Hampshire and Gloucestershire moved to Lord's in January 2008 as second team coach.

He stayed in that role until Toby Radford left as first XI coach in July 2009, since when he has done the job on a temporary basis.

Scott, who ended his playing career in the Southern League with Bournemouth, will have former Middlesex and England paceman Richard Johnson, 34, as his assistant coach.

Mark O'Neill, 50, son of former Australian Test batsman Norman O'Neill, is the county's new batting coach.

And Middlesex are also in the process of recruiting part-time specialist spin bowling and wicket-keeping coaches.

Middlesex managing director of cricket Angus Fraser said: "Many former players and current coaches spoke to me about the positions of head coach and assistant coach. But, as the 2009 season progressed, it became clear to me that Richard Scott was the right man for the job.

"He has no ego, is extremely organised, efficient and gets things done.

"Unlike many modern coaches who like the sound of their own voice, believe everything they say is correct and want to be the star of the show, Richard sits back, listens and works quietly with a player. I believe he has the potential to become an excellent coach."

## TAE-KWON DO: COOK BACKS NEW RULES

BRITISH taekwondo star Aaron Cook says a raft of changes to the sport's rules will help boost its popularity.

The World Taekwondo Federation has introduced a new points system, video replays and electronic body protectors in a bid to improve scoring.

"It's a good change," 17-year-old Dorchester-born Cook told BBC Radio 5 live.

"Because there are more points you're going to see more knock-outs; it's a lot better to watch and it's going to be more entertaining for the public."

Changes to the scoring involve awarding three points for a shot to the head, which as a result becomes a key move.

Cook, a former Thomas Hardy School pupil, was the victim of a controversial scoring decision under the old system at last year's Beijing Games.

In a contest for the bronze medal, he appeared to land a number of body blows to China's Zhu Guo without any being scored, eventually losing out and dropping to fourth place.

However, memories of Beijing are fast receding after Cook defeated Olympic legend Steven Lopez at the inaugural World Taekwondo Tour event in Mexico City earlier this month.

The county town teenager landed a

sensational double blow to the head to claim a prize of almost £18,000, the largest the sport has ever offered.

"Managing to knock him out was amazing," said Cook. "It's a big part in taekwondo, kicking to the head. Taekwondo has never really been a big sport but it's starting to get a lot bigger and prize money is starting to come in."

Gary Hall, the British performance director, said athletes could chase "a greater reward for greater risk" under the new rules, which could also benefit competitors in other martial arts looking to change sport.

"Players from other forms of taekwondo and kickboxing who can easily kick to the head could convert over quite quickly, and could be looking at a 2012 podium place," said Hall.

"Current athletes are having to go through a major change two years out from an Olympic Games, but within every change there's an opportunity.

"We've launched a talent programme because it opens the game up for martial artists that can readily kick to the head and the body.

"It gives an opportunity for somebody else to come in, and we can convert some talent."

On the back of his lucrative victory in Mexico, Cook believes a place on the London 2012 podium is well within his capability.

"After Beijing my sights were set on 2012," he said. "There are a lot of things I want to accomplish before 2012 and knocking out Lopez was one of them, so I'm on course."

◆ COOK has described his defeat of former Olympic taekwondo champion Steven Lopez last week as the greatest victory of his career.

He knocked out American Lopez in the final to win the -80kg gold at the inaugural World Taekwondo Tour event in Mexico City. His £17,880 prize is the largest ever won by a British taekwondo competitor.

"To beat the world champion makes it the greatest win in my career so far. It is amazing to take gold," said Cook. "I knew that an opponent with his experience was always going to be tough but I never doubted my ability."

Lopez, 31, has won medals at the last three Olympic Games, with gold in Sydney and Athens, then bronze in Beijing, and won his fifth world title in Copenhagen last month.



◆ **KNOCK-OUT:** Aaron Cook who beat Olympic Champion Steven Lopez recently.

## WEYMOUTH SPEEDWAY NEW TEST FOR WILDCATS

WEYMOUTH fans can look forward to the challenge of a brand new club in the National League, next season.

Dudley Heathens will be entered into the third tier of British racing for the 2010 season with the Wolverhampton and Birmingham tracks staging home meetings between them on their behalf.

The project automatically revives the famous nickname used by the old Cradley Heath club who ran at Dudley Wood Stadium between 1947-1995, before the land was sold for housing.

Club bosses are hoping regular league racing carrying the Heathens name will be supported by fans of Cradley, Wolves and Birmingham alike as the bid to find new ground for Cradley continues. The club have already appointed Will Pottinger as team manager. Pottinger is the grandson of former Cradley promoter Les and took charge of Heathens teams in challenge matches this year. And Sky Sports TV presenter Nigel Pearson has been unveiled as the driving force behind the project as chairman,

working closely with Wolverhampton chief Chris Van Straaten and Birmingham counterpart Gary Patchett. Said Pearson: "This has all come together very quickly. Chris, Gary and myself have been in dialogue over the idea for less than a month and we've tried to see pitfalls before going for it - but it's a win-win situation as far as we're concerned."

Wildcats chairman Phil Bartlett today welcomed the Heathens and said he looked forward to racing against them.

"Speedway has been hit by the credit crunch along with everything else," he said, "so to see a new club form in these difficult times is fantastic news. On behalf of everyone at Weymouth, I welcome the Heathens, wish them luck and look forward to racing against them." Heathens will race their home meetings at Wolverhampton on a Tuesday night but their Birmingham-staged meetings are likely to be on a Wednesday.

## DORSET PREMIER LEAGUE ROUND-UP Corby puts county into last eight

### National Systems County Cup BEDFORDSHIRE COUNTY LEAGUE 1 DORSET PREMIER LEAGUE 2

THE DORSET Premier League side moved in the last eight of the National Systems County Cup with a superb 2-1 victory over Bedfordshire County League on Saturday.

The visitors took the lead on the half hour with a strike from Jamie Moores and they should have stretched their advantage after creating a handful of chances.

They were made to pay for those misses however in the 83rd minute when Bedford grabbed an equaliser, although the hosts should have been level on the hour when they were awarded a penalty which they missed.

With two minutes remaining, Dorset got the winning goal their performance deserved with Arron Corby drilling home from close range.

### DORSET PREMIER LEAGUE

TORRENTIAL rain meant that only two Dorset Premier League fixtures survived the weather on Saturday.

The fixture list had already been reduced due to the

league's representative side being in action at Bedford.

The two matches that were played were at the View From Stadium where Weymouth Reserves entertained Poole Borough and Sherborne Reserves against Hamworthy United Reserves at the Terrace.

At Weymouth, it was the visitors who took the lead in gale force conditions when Maciej Jakaszas found the net with a close range effort on 25 minutes. The Terras hit back to gain a point with 19 minutes remaining when Tyler Sibbick volleyed in after a concerted spell of pressure from Dave Kiteley's men.

The draw keeps Weymouth in second spot in the table while Borough move up to fifth. Sherborne Reserves moved up a place to 11th following their 3-1 victory over Hamworthy United Reserves.

The hosts goals came from Dwayne Forshaw in the first half while Aaron Lomax and Jason Bond were both on target for the impressive hosts following the break.

This was Sherborne's fifth win of the season while the Hammers were tasting defeat for the eighth time.

◆ **Blandford are through to the Dorset Premier League Cup quarter finals following their 5-2 success over Sherborne Reserves on Thursday night.**

## ASHTON FORCED TO RETIRE

BRIDPORT Cricket Club was rocked by the news last week that all rounder Joe Ashton has been advised to retire from cricket.

The 41-year-old all rounder took the decision after he was told by an orthopaedic specialist that he risked needing a knee replacement if he continued playing.

Ashton has been one of the stars of the club last season taking 45 wickets in just eleven games and scoring over 300 runs including one half century. Unfortunately his sterling efforts didn't stop Bridport being relegated for the second successive year.

Ashton played in the Thames Valley League in north Hampshire before joining the club in August 2008 after moving to the area.

The off-spinner only played two games at the end of that season, but made a sensational debut against Shaftesbury by taking 9-9 from 12 overs,

seven of them maidens.

The injury caused by wear and tear following a long term posterior cruciate ligament injury has made the knee unstable and as a result Ashton has been advised to retire from the game.

The news is particularly upsetting as he had just recovered from a back injury that had kept him out for the previous three years.

"I am absolutely gutted but I have no alternative to retire. It is particularly galling as I was just getting back into the game after three years out with my back, and I was really enjoying myself.

"It's not really sunk in yet, I was only chatting to some friends about next season a couple of nights before, but it appears my Bridport career is over before it really started!"

It is a major blow to the cricket club, for in addition to his batting and bowling prowess he was a strong front runner to succeed Chris Backhouse who stood

**GUTTED** | Joe Ashton who has had to call time on his cricket career.



down as captain at the end of the season.

There is one consolation for Joe however; he can still play golf. A big, powerful hitter, Ashton played off a handicap of six before his back injury, and showed in a couple of games this year that he still has the talent to get back to that level.

"I've already got my application into the golf club, and my wife Keri has given me permission so I am all set to go!"

## Shipton Gorge table-tennis

### ALL SAINTS WEYMOUTH 9 SHIPTON GORGE A 28

ANOTHER emphatic win against one of the leagues top sides keeps Shipton clear at the top of the table with a third of the fixtures played.

Although taken close by Saints number one Steve Rook, Richard Trim maintained his unbeaten run with a 3-2 win before going on to take a nine point maximum with further 3-0 victories. Chris Glover is also enjoying a rich vein of form, beating Rook 3-0 and only dropping one game each to Paul Carter and Tony Babb in securing his maximum. Gil Roberts conceded the only loss of the night 1-3 to Carter but went on to edge Babb 3-2 and completed a miserable night for Rook with a 3-0 win. A 3-0 win for Glover and Trim ended the evening off perfectly for the visitors.

Division One	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Shipton Gorge A	5	5	0	0	139	42	144
Springfield A	6	4	0	2	125	99	125
Red Triangle A	5	4	0	1	111	71	115
YMCA A	5	2	3	0	105	86	105
ASA	4	3	0	1	91	64	94
St Osm Crusaders	5	3	0	2	78	99	81
Colliton A	5	1	0	4	66	116	67
Civil Service B	5	0	0	5	63	127	63
P & S Falcons	3	1	0	2	54	58	55
Civil Service A	4	1	0	3	48	99	48
Budmouth A	1	0	0	1	8	27	8

### SHIPTON GORGE B 30 BUDMOUTH B 2

WITH the Gorge putting out perhaps their strongest team a Budmouth side containing two young players were no match for them on the night.

Ron Tucknott, Jim Saunders and David Poole picked up maximum points with some ease.

Tucknott and Saunders also took the doubles 3-0. It was good to see the youngsters unbowed by their defeat. They played an attacking game with some flair and will undoubtedly improve quickly.

Division Two	P	W	D	L	F	A	Pts
Pilgrims	6	5	0	1	143	70	143
Colliton B	7	4	0	3	139	111	139
Springfield B	6	6	0	0	133	85	133
St Osm Sharks	6	5	0	1	131	90	131
Shipton Gorge B	5	4	0	1	113	72	113
Civil Service C	7	3	0	4	109	146	109
Springfield C	5	3	0	2	108	76	108
St Osm Lions	6	2	0	4	94	118	94
Preseton B	5	3	0	2	91	86	91
Colliton C	5	2	0	3	90	95	90
Dorset Youth Serv	6	0	0	6	78	134	78
Preston A	6	0	0	6	73	150	73
St Osm Hawks	4	1	0	3	59	86	59
Budmouth B	2	0	0	2	12	54	12



## WEST DORSET FOOTBALL ROUND-UP

with **STUART BROOM**

# CARDS TOO SHARP FOR MAGPIES

### WOKING 3 DORCHESTER TOWN 1 Blue Square South - Attendance: 1,269

IT took Woking 75 minutes to finally wear down a resolute Dorchester Town side in Ashley Vickers first game in charge as caretaker manager since the sacking of Roy O'Brien.

The Magpies led by a 24th minute strike from skipper Mark Jermyn which was cancelled out by Moses Ademola a minute before the interval. Stubborn resistance after the break despite pressure from the Cards meant it was not until 15 minutes from time that the home side got their noses in front before sealing the match as Dorchester pushed forward looking for an equaliser.

Vickers drafted in new signing Ryan Hill at left-back and



■ **GOAL:** Mark Jermyn (right) wheels away after stabbing Dorchester into a 24th minute lead at Woking on Saturday.

played a new formation with Harry Nodwell sitting just in front the back four.

Woking had a couple of early chances which were both blazed over the top before Steve Devlin got the better of Ricky Anane and fired in a low cross, which Woking keeper Ross Worner just grabbed before the inrushing Ryan Moss.

Dorchester took the lead on 24 minutes when Phil Walsh got up to nod Hill's corner kick down at the far post and Jermyn stabbed the ball home at the second attempt.

Although Woking applied plenty of pressure following the goal, the nearest they got was on 38 minutes when Harry Arter made a superb run into the box, but his low cross into the goalmouth evaded everyone.

However his next telling move did pay dividends when just a minute before the break his diagonal cross found Ademola who drove the ball past Regan Coward from 12 yards.

Woking continued to dictate after the interval and Arter was close with a 25-yard drive that just cleared the angle of the goal frame.

Finally as the part-timers of Dorchester tired, the fitness of Woking's full-time players started to tell and they took the lead on 76 minutes.

A miscue in the Magpies defence found sub Matthew Wright whose neat turn and shot deserved a goal, but Coward produced a superb save by acrobatically turning the ball over the top from close range. However from the resultant corner Tony Sinclair climbed well at the far post to nod the ball back to the onrushing Arter who crashed home an unstoppable volley from 12 yards.

Woking sealed the match on 81 minutes when Arter charged down an attempted clearance and the ball ran to sub Nathaniel Pinney who ran clear before clipping the ball past Coward as he raced out to meet him.

*Dorchester's home league match against Lewes postponed from last night due to the Dorset Senior Cup tie with Wimborne Town will now be played at the Jewson Stadium on Tuesday December 15th with a 7.45pm kick-off.*

Former reserve team manager Phil Simkin has had provisional discussions with the Magpies about returning to manage a reformed reserve side next season in the proposed "Wyvern League".

The Club has attended an initial meeting of a proposed new south coast reserve league which would include teams from such clubs as Eastleigh, Havant, Gosport, Bashley and Verwood Town amongst others.

### O'Brien set for Terras?

WEYMOUTH manager Ian Hutchinson has refused to rule out a shock return to the *View From Stadium* for Roy O'Brien.

The former Magpies boss was sacked a fortnight ago after Dorchester crashed out of the FA Trophy at the hands of the Terras.

Irishman O'Brien, who works full time in Yeovil Town's football in the community department helped Weymouth win the Conference South title back in 2006.

Hutchinson said: "He's a top bloke with a bright managerial future in the game, its unfortunate it's not quite worked out at Dorchester but Roy is a strong character and he'll bounce back.

"I phoned him after I heard the news and he's obviously gutted, but Dorchester have a direction they want to go in, and I'm sure Roy has learnt a lot from his time there. "I'd love to work with him again in the future, but obviously thing's are very tough here at Weymouth. It's a club he

knows very well having played here for a while, and I'm sure if the chance arose, he'd definitely consider it."

### Terras Ladies looking to raise profile

ARSENAL and England Ladies star Corinne Yorston is the special guest tonight when the girls take centre stage at the View From Stadium as Weymouth FC Ladies entertain the Royal Navy Ladies with a 7.45pm kick off.

Left-back Yorston who has played 19 times for the under 19s, under 2's and five times for the senior England side is a full time footballer and she will be on hand to meet sponsors and supporters alike as Weymouth begin a number of events aimed at raising the profile of the sport in the town.

The game with the Royal Navy will give the Terras girls the opportunity to showcase their skills against top quality opposition who are made up of players from as far afield as Italy.

Admission to the match which has attracted a number of corporate sponsors including Dorset Build and Maintenance, Weyline Taxis, MacDonald's town centre restaurant, Marlboro Restaurant, Fish n Fritz and ADS Carpentry and Build is just £1 for both adults and children as Weymouth aim to attract a big crowd, many of whom will never have witnessed live ladies football before.

The club would also like to extend an invitation to any girls that might wish to take up the sport to come to the match, meet the Weymouth FC Ladies players and manager Tim Davis.

The club is looking to massively increase the number of teams they currently run next season so girls this is your opportunity to come forward and make yourself known.

## RUGBY ROUND-UP

with **Keith Jenkin**

ON yet another day when the average rugby spectator really needed to be fitted with guttering, I made my way to Bridport to watch them finally beat Swanage & Wareham seconds by fifteen points to five after a game which, although it did not rate all that highly as a spectacle, contained one or two interesting aspects.

### BRIDPORT 15pts SWANAGE & WAREHAM 2nd 5pts

THE unusual happenings started before this Dorset & Wilts League Division One South game got under way, for the action had to be transferred to Bridport's second pitch, one of the posts and crossbar on the main pitch having blown down over night.

The visitors won the toss and chose to play with the slope on the heavy ground, and the first five minutes were laced with errors, and three penalties were awarded and several set scrummages took place during that time.

The visitors had marginally the better of things, territorially speaking without really threatening and the game was some fifteen minutes old before Bridport's first meaningful attack took place. They got within five yards of their opponents' line but were turned over, after which a bit of a fracas ensued. They conceded a penalty and Swanage & Wareham kicked clear.

The visitors however were guilty of not protecting their possession quite as they should have done during the next play. Bridport won possession on halfway and outside centre Idris Croft broke down the outside channel and had the gas to score after running half the length of the field. It was certainly not a day for converting from near touch, and the try remained unconverted.

The next home score came on the half hour and was rather against the run of play for their opponents had been applying some pressure. The game was not a dirty one and it came as a surprise to me when the Swanage & Wareham number eight forward and Bullock, the Bridport scrum-half, were sent to the early bath.

Their absence did not help the contest as a spectacle and Bridport broke out, won a penalty some 30-yards out and Everitt duly kicked the goal. The scoreline remained unchanged at the halfway stage and the home side would have been the more confident at this stage; firstly because they had been less affected by the sending off than their opponents, and secondly because they would have the slight slope in their favour in the second-half.

Bridport had the better of the third quarter, spurning a penalty kick at goal from close in, but being unable to turn the ensuing scrum into points. Substitute winger Hawkes-Welstead too came near to scoring, after a snipe down the narrow side.

They seemed to fall away just a little about the hour mark however, and Swanage & Wareham came back at them. Bridport were conceding penalties too and their opponents converted these into territory.

Just as I was feeling that there could well be a few twists to come in this game, Bridport broke out and, with fifteen minutes left, made the result safe. They kicked ahead and followed well to harass the full-back. He had played well thus far but his hurried off load went loose. Bridport hacked on from halfway and Croft was up to beat the ball to the visitor's dead ball line and touch down.

There then came a very strange happening. The referee, who had been left far behind by events, enquired of a spectator as to the validity of the try before awarding it. (I've never seen that done before.) Everitt added the extras

and Swanage & Wareham now had to score three times.

They were by no means done however for, with five minutes left, they won good ball on the Bridport twenty two and sent the ball wide for their left winger to get over in the corner.

The score was a deserved consolation but could be no more than that, for the final whistle blew soon after.

Not Bridport's best performance of the season! Conditions were certainly not of the best, and losing their scrum-half did not help their cohesion over much. They showed enough outside the scrum to make one feel that they should have sent the ball wide more often but their handling was less than sure in the wet.

### BOURNEMOUTH 3rd 29pts BRIDPORT 2nd 31pts

THE club's injury list had ensured that its second side would be far below full complement for this vital league encounter and, although playing catch up and being starved of useable possession for much of the game, they kept plugging away and staged a final rally to burgle the result.

They did in fact take the lead through an excellent try by full back Marcus Colbourne, converted by Tom Swatridge but, with the big home eight dominating possession were soon pegged back by two converted tries before the half hour mark.

They levelled through a try by scrum half James Ewart, again goaled by Swatridge, and in fact took a narrow lead when Swatridge kicked a penalty late in the half to lead 17-14. They could not hold on however and a home unconverted effort, scored in the final play of the half, gave Bournemouth a 19-17 half time lead.

The home pack continued to have a major say during the second period and two unconverted tries gave Bournemouth a 29-17 lead with fifteen minutes left for play.

Then came the Bridport rally! They mounted some pressure and were rewarded when the referee awarded them a penalty try after Bournemouth had persistently offended close to their own line. Swatridge's conversion kick from in front was accurate and brought Bridport in touch with less than ten minutes left.

They kept playing and, with a couple of minutes of normal time remaining, won useable possession and spun the ball across field, switched, and passed back for Swatridge to touch down in the corner and level the scores. He then held his nerve and trusted his method to land the vital conversion from the widest of angles to give his side the lead.

The final minutes seemed to last for ever as far as the Bridport camp was concerned. Bournemouth forced them into desperate defence but they held on until the final whistle sounded to record a very valued win.

### WESTBURY Nil WEYMOUTH 21pts

ALTHOUGH winning, and winning comfortably at that, Weymouth will not look back on this game with too much affection.

Having had the better of matters early, they took the lead after some ten minutes play with a try by Will Quick converted by Peplow. The home number eight forward sustained a dislocated elbow in trying to stop the scorer however and could not be moved before emergency help arrived.

All present were then treated to what is probably the saddest sight in sport, a small group gathered round a player lying on the ground, with all the others some dis-

tance away, trying to keep warm.

Some 40 minutes elapsed before the game could restart and Weymouth asserted their superiority with a second Quick try, again converted by Peplow, before the break. Conditions were not ideally suited to open rugby but, in the twenty minutes play that was possible before the light faded, Weymouth scored another converted effort to stretch away.

The referee then decided after an hour that enough was enough and blew for "no side" in the gathering gloom.

As 60 minutes play had taken place the result will, I think, stand; although Weymouth will wish it had been gained in pleasanter circumstances.

The Weymouth second side did not have the best of fortune and went down narrowly to North Dorset 4th by five points to nil.

### FROME 23pts DORCHESTER 10pts

DORCHESTER faced the slope in the first period of this pivotal league encounter and were forced on to the defensive for much of the first forty minutes. Their pack was certainly holding its own however, although much of the possession was kicked to touch in an effort to gain a position from which to attack.

Their defence too was coping and the game was some twenty minutes old before Frome squeezed over for an unconverted try in the corner. They scored another before the break to lead 10-0 at the halfway stage, with Dorchester's only chance coming from the boot of Bament, although his long range place kick drifted just wide.

They would not have been too disappointed with the situation however, for they now had the slope in their favour and certainly would have felt confident of coring twice. This thought would have been bolstered early in the second period when Bament, fresh back from injury, kicked a penalty. His effort took the score to 10-3 and brought his side back into the game.

Dorchester have had considerable success this season with the front peel from the lineout and they executed it well again for Hodgson to get over in the corner. Bament added the extras with an excellent kick from near touch and the sided were level with twenty minutes to go.

It was "all to play for" now and, although the home side edged ahead with a penalty goal, nothing was resolved. Then, with fifteen minutes to go tragedy struck Dorchester when centre, Tim Cuzens, was stretchered off with a dislocated knee.

The delay that is inevitably associated with an injury as serious as this, does tend to affect the victim's colleagues, and this duly happened. Dorchester seemed to lose their edge after the resumption and fell further adrift to an unconverted try. They now had to score twice and, in trying to do so, conceded another in the final minutes, and that took Frome to the win that they just about deserved on the day.

### PREVIEW

Another round of league fixtures takes place on Saturday next and DORCHESTER face another little tester when they visit WIMBORNE who, while they are not exactly in the top flight of the Southern League (South), are not far away from it.

One would almost feel that a result in this one would be pivotal to Dorchester's season. Having played the two top sides in three weeks, if they were to lose at Wimborne, they would revert to a respectable mid table position. If

they can come away with a win, they will be very much "in the mix" at the season's half way stage. It really is a four point game for them and it will be close.

In Dorset & Wilts Division One, leaders BRIDPORT are also on the road. They take on FROME 2nd and should really win this one, injury list permitting. Their opponents ran Weymouth close earlier in the season however and Saturday's encounter might well prove to be a bit of a banana skin for the Brewery Field outfit.

There should be no sign of a banana skin at PUDDLETOWN however where WEYMOUTH are the visitors. The home side lie at the bottom of the division currently and have not crossed their opponents' whitewash over-much so far this season. From what I have seen of them however, they will certainly compete, but I think Weymouth will be too strong.

The club's injury list has meant that the Bridport second side has generally been more inconsistent this season than in recent times. Nevertheless, it should have too much for visitors Effingham and Ringwood.

Likewise, Dorchester seconds will, in all probability, make home advantage tell when they take on Lytchett Minster seconds.

I can see Weymouth seconds too ending the day with a pretty handy win over visitors Puddletown seconds.

**FIXTURES** 5th December - Bridport v Frome 2nd (away); Bridport 2nd v Effingham & Ringwood (home); Chard v Stothert & Pitt (home); Chard 2 v Ivel Barbarians 2nd (home); Chard 3rd v Hornets 3rd (away); Chard Colts v Clevedon Colts (away); Crewkerne v No Game; Dorchester v Wimborne (away); Dorchester 2nd v Lytchett Minster 2nd (home); Honiton v New Cross (home); Honiton 2nd v Ivybridge 3rd (home); Sidmouth v Clevedon (home); Sidmouth 2 v Kingsbridge 2nd (away); Sidmouth 3rd v Ilfracombe 2nd (home); Sidmouth Colts v Wellington Colts (away); Weymouth v Puddletown (away); Weymouth 2nd v Puddletown 2nd (home).

## RUGBY EXTRA

### GIRLS RUGBY COMES TO BRIDPORT

BRIDPORT Rugby Club hosts their first female rugby competition this Sunday (December 6th) when county Girls U15 and U18 teams play at the Brewery Field ground.

The competition is a round robin between teams from Dorset & Wilts, Devon and Cornwall with matches from each age group commencing at 12.30pm, 1.30pm and 2.30pm.

Hopefully the weather conditions will improve to allow the girls to show off their skills and provide spectators with a good afternoon's rugby.

Girls and women's rugby has taken a forward step recently with England Women beating the All Black Women whilst the Women's World Cup takes place next year in August and September in the UK.

The Dorset & Wilts Women are sponsored by local business Samways Fish Merchants.

This is an ideal opportunity for girls in the local area to come and watch rugby at first hand and hopefully encourage sufficient interest to start girls' rugby at Bridport.

Hopefully the event will be well supported and will lead to more county rugby being played in Bridport.



## ViewSport

## WEST DORSET SPORT ROUND-UP

## HORSE RACING ROUND-UP

OUTSTANDING RUN  
FROM NICHE MARKET  
IN HENNESSY GOLD

ALL the headlines were about "The Tank" Denman and his remarkable comeback after his heart trouble last year to become only the third horse in history to land a second Hennessy Gold Cup after legends Mandarin and Arkle.

It was a shame therefore that **Niche Market** didn't get the national recognition that his run deserved, just holding off the Queen's Barber Shop by a short head to claim a superb third place.

"Brilliant, absolutely brilliant," was how Bob Buckler described the run. "He galloped, jumped and battled all the way. It was an amazing run and very satisfying for me in that I had got him spot on for the race."

"I knew after his race at Wincanton that he was exactly right for the race and he showed it. He took them on right from the off and made it a gallop. It was a pretty searching one at that which found a lot of them out, and by the back straight half the field of top quality horses had already dropped off."

"Although Denman and Paul Nicholls' other horse What A Friend got the better of him over the last three fence, he battled away and stayed on to head off Barber Shop."

Colin Tizzard's Joe Lively led the race with Niche early on but a mistake at the seventh fence put paid to his chances and he eventually finished tenth, the last one to complete the course.

With Harry Skelton required to ride for Nichols at Newcastle, Buckler had Andrew Glassonbury aboard the Irish Grand National winner.

"I've seen him ride a few times and

thought his style would suit Niche; both are bold and fighters, and he rode him to perfection."

It was a day of mixed emotions however for owner Graham Regan who had to miss the race as he was attending his mother's funeral. Mrs Regan died on Monday, but was a great racing enthusiast and would have desperately wanted things to continue, so all the family watched the race at the wake in a hotel in Ireland.

The prize money of £21,000 lifts Buckler to 36th in the trainer's top winnings league.

Just to show the extremes of racing, Buckler sent three horses out at Folkestone on Monday and they all ran disappointing races. **Ready or Not** pulled up two from home, whilst **Over the Flow** and **Ballygulleen** both faded to finish well down.

"The conditions were atrocious; I was amazed that they raced. All three have run well in better conditions; it was the horrendous ground and none of them coped well with it. That's racing; one day you're on top and the next you're brought down to earth!"

**Clyffe Hanger** was the only other horse to run last week, and he once again put in a good performance to finish third at Chepstow.

"We changed the tactics this time. Knowing he jumps and stays Harry Skelton set off for home to try and run it out of the others. He was succeeding but he made a mistake at the third last which lost him three lengths in the jump and another four getting going again and he was overtaken to lose by a neck and 1 ¾ lengths."

"Unfortunately the handicapper persists in penalising him for being an honest horse and the weights once again got the better of him."

## Kick in the teeth for Joe

JOE Tizzard is expected to return to the saddle this week after the rider was left with facial swelling and without front teeth following a novice chase fall at Kempton.

Dorset-based Tizzard was injured in the second-fence exit of his father Colin's The Jazz Musician.

Tizzard's agent Sam Stronge said: "Joe got a bad bang at Kempton. There are no broken bones and it's just superficial, but it does look quite nasty."

"He took a glancing blow and had a few front teeth kicked out that he'd already lost once before and had replaced with a bridge."

"He has had stitching in his gum and there is swelling around his right eye."

In Tizzard junior's absence, champion jockey Tony McCoy produced a vintage ride aboard Tizzard senior's Midnight Queen to claim the EBF Mares' 'National Hunt' Novices' Hurdle, the opening event of Newbury's three-day meeting.

McCoy is renowned for his ability to pull races out of the fire and he displayed every facet of his skills to coax Midnight Queen home by a nose after a prolonged battle with Miss Overdrive. The success confirmed the fine form of the Tizzard's string.

"I had a masterplan to take her to Wincanton for a mares' only chase but she had pus in a foot," said the winning handler, who trains near Sherborne.

"Then I decided to get her qualified for both the hurdle and chase finals for mares."

"She was as brave as brave can be up that run-in today and she'll stay three miles no problem. I think she'll go back over fences now, for a qualifier at Exeter."

## First championship a success

FORMER Olympic silver medallist Allan Jay, MBE presented the trophies at West Dorset Fencing Club's first championship held recently at The Sir John Colfox School. Formed a year ago by another former Olympic fencer Shirley Parker, interest in the new club has been intense, with many adults and children at last having access to this unusual sport.

It was a coup for Shirley to persuade Mr Jay, six times a world champion finalist and holder of two silver Olympic medals to become honorary president of the club.

A vice-president of the British Fencing Association, Mr Jay kindly donated two trophies for the event.

Competition was fierce for the men's and junior titles where concentration and agility were put to the test. The quickness of the footwork had to be seen to be believed, but eventually Isaac Goodwin emerged victorious as men's champion and Alfie Conacher-Crow as junior champion.

The ladies title saw a serious and intensely fought series of battles between the ladies before Rosie Darkin won the championship.

On presenting Isaac Goodwin with his trophy, Mr Jay said: "I was thrilled and energised by your performance, well done". He presented Rosie Darkin with the Ladies' Championship rose bowl and Alfie Conacher-Crow with an engraved junior foil to keep. The runners-up Ellie Madden, Damon Allen and Liam Cooper were each presented with a signed certificate by Shirley.

Shirley said: "I was so excited to be in the position of having enough members advanced enough to compete, and the icing on the cake was Allan giving up his valuable time to

present the awards."

Mr Jay thanked Shirley for the invitation and said: "I am so pleased to be involved in the first steps of this club. I am passionate about fencing and am thrilled to see younger children coming into the sport. Anyone can give it a try – it's an energetic sport requiring quick reflexes and concentration, but no brute force".

West Dorset Fencing Club meets on Thursday evenings from 6.30 onwards at Sir John Colfox School. Anyone who is interested in taking part can try a taster session prior to enrolment in 2010. Spectators are also extremely welcome.

Tonight (December 3rd) is the last session before Christmas, they begin again on January 21st.



◆ ON GUARD: Allan Jay MBE presents ladies champion Rosie Darkin with her trophy watched by runner-up Ellie Madden (left) and third placed Judy Clarke

## SCHOOLS CROSS-COUNTRY

## Colfox girls plough through mud to qualify for nationals

ATROCIOUS conditions at Millfield School did not stop The Sir John Colfox School Inter Girls from qualifying for the national final of the English Schools Cross Country Championships last Saturday.

In the regional round made up of the best twelve schools in the South West of England the team, whose performance was all the more remarkable as they are all one year younger than most of their competitors, qualified for this Saturday's final in Newquay with Beth Letherby leading the team home with a superb second place finish.

The Junior Boys finished 6th overall, a fine achievement for a very inexperienced team made up of mostly Year 7 boys

in some of the worst conditions ever seen with lead runner Rhys Kirkpatrick finished an excellent 10th.

The Inter Boys finished 7th overall in the final race of the day. By now the course was badly cut up so they did very well to complete the course as many other competitors dropped out. Mat Fry led the team home finishing 24th overall.

■ The Sir John Colfox School will be hosting the Dorset County Championships on Saturday December 12th with the first race starting at 1pm. Spectators are welcome to watch the cream of the county's schools athletes in what is sure to be testing conditions.

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## HOCKEY NEWS AND REPORTS

## 10-player Beaminster keep the winning habit

BOURNEMOUTH 4th 1  
BEAMINSTER LADIES 2

BEAMINSTER maintained their winning ways despite being a player short when they visited Chapel Gate last Saturday.

They attacked right from the start and were rewarded with an early goal created from clever play from Jackie Gape. She found Megan Tuck who in turn drove the ball down the line to Bryony Edwards whose determination won the battle with the keeper to put Beaminster ahead.

With their confidence sky high Beaminster pushed on and Sophia Brown who shared the Player of the Match with Gape, delivered the second with a strong solo run before creating room for herself in the D to sweep the ball home. With Gape working tirelessly in midfield and creating openings Beaminster rarely looked like a side a player short.

Bournemouth came out refreshed after the break and were rewarded with a goal after some quick play and a very accurate strike.

Beaminster started to tire towards the end of the game but solid defending from Jenny Clarke, Ali White and Taryn Critchard kept Bournemouth at bay.

The well earned win maintain's their fourth place just a point behind Yeovil

2nd and Bournemouth 3rds who they meet at The Sir John Colfox School this Saturday in their last match before the Christmas break.

BEAMINSTER LADIES 2nd 3  
YEOVIL & SHERBORNE 2nd 2

TWO superb second half goals from Player of the Match Sophia Brown gave Beaminster 2nd's victory in this Kitson & Trotman Friendly league match.

Brown with her dogged attitude and attacking prowess controlled midfield with Danielle Donovan in horrific weather, and Beaminster were rewarded with an early goal when Amber Love followed up a deflected ball from the keeper to slap the ball into the right-hand corner through a crowded D.

However Yeovil & Sherborne equalised before the interval with a breakaway goal which was chipped into the net from the top of the D.

Beaminster showed a lot of determination after the break and Brown's goals gave them a comfortable lead.

However despite some great defending by keeper Rachel Andrews the visitors scored a second just before the final whistle to set up a tense finish.

## WEST DORSET 2 DAWLISH 0

WEST Dorset had to work hard to win

the points that keeps them joint second in the South East Division One against a youthful Dawlish side that were two men short due to a breakdown on the way to the match.

Despite their numerical disadvantage it wasn't until the final 15 minutes that West Dorset finally managed to find the net when Alex Davies beat two players before scoring with a nice shot from the top of the D.

Having broken the Devon defence West Dorset added a second two minutes later when Dan Wyatt standing in for the unavailable Simon Wakely smashed the ball home from the top of the D following a short corner routine.

The home side were frustrated for most of the match as Dawlish got behind the ball to defend in numbers and with their keeper making a number of superb saves it looked like they would thwart West Dorset. However they eventually tired against relentless pressure.

West Dorset skipper Julian May said: "They were a very well organised and strong side and we found it hard to break them down. However we showed great composure and didn't panic and our patience eventually paid off as they tired."

## WEST BAY SEA ANGLING CLUB

THIS year West Bay Sea Angling Club's junior members caught 37kg 246g of fish over the 16 match season, which was an increase on last year, and they celebrated their success at the recent annual presentation evening.

Three members managed to fish all the matches whilst the heaviest weight caught in a match was 2kg 26g by Oliver Mears.

Junior secretary Roger Guppy thanked all the sponsors for their support as well as Steve Woolard and the harbour staff, The Angling Centre, the committee as well as Frank, Hilary, Kim, D Daw, B Baker and Fred Bowditch for all their hard work.

He also paid tribute to Maureen Jackson, who will be retiring as chair of the club this year, not only for all her hard work but also campaigning to prevent the council banning fishing on the piers.

President Fred Bowditch in turn thanked Hoot for all his hard

The winners were: Saturday Cup (overall winner) – Oliver Mears (8kg 799g), Lambert Trophy (overall winner runner-up) – Connor Hallett (6kg 644g), Points Trophy (highest points total) – Connor Hallett (52 pts), Points runner-up Trophy – Oliver Mears (49 pts), Ladies Junior Trophy (ladies heaviest aggregate weight) – Chelsea Taylor, Peggy Daw Memorial Trophy (heaviest aggregate in Brixham and Teignmouth matches) – Oliver Mears (552g)

Hils Trophy (heaviest fish) – Connor Hallett (Ballan wrasse 791g), Trevett Cup – (heaviest flounder) – Craig Horton (334g), Tiny Cup (heaviest mackerel) – Elliot Joy (hooked but lost it).

The sponsors were: The Old Watch House Cafe, Michael and Marie Mears, Kevin Dean, Christine Tolley, Andy Preston, Gregor Grant, Kevin White, Dennings Tackle, Hilary, Les Peters, Tiny, M Jackson, Stokes Family, Kay Guppy, Mike Hallett, Steven and Hugh Rathbone, Fred Bowditch and PJ.



◆ WINNING LINE-UP: Back, from left: Fred Bowditch (president), Aiden Dean, Oliver Mears, Roger (Hoot) Guppy (junior secretary), Craig Horton. Front: Chelsea Taylor and Connor Hallett.

## FIRST WIN ON THE ROAD FOR EVOLUTION

Taunton Revolution, 93 Bridport Evolution, 69  
Exeter and District League Division One

BRIDPORT's first away win of the season still proved elusive when they travelled to fellow strugglers Taunton Revolution.

Taunton stormed into the lead with some quick fire three-point shooting early on and Matt Acott picked up 12 points in the opening quarter. Tom Glover helped keep Bridport close with six points and coach James White added a three to keep the lead to just 10.

Midway through the second quarter Taunton lost a player to knee injury and with the arrival of Tony Glover Bridport were given a late boost before the end of the half.

Two baskets in the final three minutes for Tom Glover and a three for both Olly Everett and Craig Sorrell cut the lead to 19 from 27.

In the second-half Bridport switched to a man to man defence to try and force some errors from the home side and the change had immediate effect.

Fast break scoring from White and Sorrell pulled Bridport within 12 points of Taunton.

With the game still in reach Bridport gambled on a full court pressure defence but the risk didn't pay off.

Taunton took advantage and Brett Cooper added a further 11 points taking his total to 33 and earning him the MVP award for his side.

Despite still not feeling at his best Sorrell found his shooting touch again by the end of the game scoring three three-pointers in three minutes and taking his total to 22, despite only scoring three points in the first-half. Coach White picked up the MVP award for Bridport.

◆ Players and Scorers – Sorrell 22, White 13, Tom Glover 12, Gray 9, Everett 5, Latter 4, Tony Glover 2, Hughes 2, Robertshaw-

Bridport Evolution 71, Exeter Nomads, 72  
Sunday, November 29th

BRIDPORT suffered an agonising one-point defeat at home to Exeter Nomads despite an excellent fourth quarter fightback. Bridport had gone 12 points behind in the first quarter but had pulled level in the second thanks to two three point shots by Tony Glover.

Exeter regained their lead in the third quarter though and started well again in the fourth as they looked to claim an easy victory.

With five minutes to play Bridport began their comeback. Three point shots from captain Sorrell and coach James White pulled Bridport level and then a free throw from Sorrell put Bridport ahead for the first time in the game.

Despite the comeback Exeter managed to take the lead again at the death, going three points ahead with six seconds to play.

With the final shot of the game Sorrell was fouled on a three-point attempt leaving him with three free throws and a chance to tie the game and take it to overtime.

Both sides could only watch as Sorrell made his first two but with the game on the line Sorrell couldn't make it three out of three and Bridport suffered their sixth straight defeat.

◆ Players and scorers – Sorrell 20, Tom Glover 12, White 9, Gray 8, Tony Glover 6, Park 5, Hughes 4, Scalabrino 3, Kapur 2, Latter 2, Everingta, Tsu-Yuly.



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**Inside: Comprehensive local sports news round-up**

## MAGPIES LATEST...THE VOICE OF VICKERS

### Vickers look to the future with Critchell signing

NEW Dorchester Town caretaker boss Ashley Vickers spoke of the disappointment he felt for his friend Roy O'Brien after he was sacked as manager of the Blue Square South club following the humiliating defeat at Weymouth, and his reaction to taking charge and trying to arrest the club's dismal results that have seen them once again slide back into the relegation area.

"I feel desperately for Roy. He is a close friend of mine and no one likes to see the situation that occurred. He had a lot of good ideas but they didn't come to fruition, and now we must draw a line under it and move on."

Vickers has been asked to run the side in the short term by chairman Shaun Hearn and is more than pleased to do so.

"The chairman has asked that I steady the ship for a while as caretaker manager. We are looking for a change of fortune now, and I certainly got a reaction in training during the week and on Saturday at Woking."

The Magpies held Woking well into the second half before conceding two late goals.

"We really frustrated them. We played a new formation with Harry Nodwell sitting in front of the back four and then breaking when the opportunity occurred and it worked very well. We were really dogged for 75 minutes but then their full time fitness began to tell and we gave away a bit of a sloppy goal.

They then punished us with a late one

**by Stuart Broom**

as we went for an equaliser. However it's a hard place to go; they are a good side and not many teams are going to get much there.

"The lads have responded brilliantly which bodes well for the future and gives us a platform to build on."

Whilst Vickers may just be caretaker manager at the moment there is no reason that if he can produce the results, that the club could offer him the job permanently.

Vickers wouldn't be drawn but said: "I'm taking it one match at a time. It's a results driven job and we need to produce the kind of display that we did on

Saturday on a regular basis. I know all the lads are of good character and will go

out and do that again."

Vickers has not let the grass grow under his feet and has already made changes to personnel by sending Yeovil Town loanees Andre McCollin and Louis Lavers back to the Glovers before their month's loan had expired.

In their place he has signed Weymouth's captain Kyle Critchell and former Magpie Ryan Hill from Bashley.

Critchell is a major coup and he joins the Magpies on a free transfer following the expiry of the two-week notice given to Weymouth after he had not been paid for eight weeks.

The 22-year-old has been outstanding

for the Terras this season despite a foot injury that kept him out for several weeks, and can play in a variety of positions, either along the back line or in midfield.

"Kyle's a great signing," enthused Vickers. "He is a wholehearted player who wants to do well and a great character. I have a lot of time for him and know that he will do a good job for me wherever I play him."

On Hill, Vickers said: "Ryan has matured a lot both as a man and a player since he was at Dorchester a couple of years ago. He did well on Saturday although he needs to improve his fitness, and he has a sledgehammer of a right foot which we will put to good use.

He has a great opportunity to build himself a good platform for the future."

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